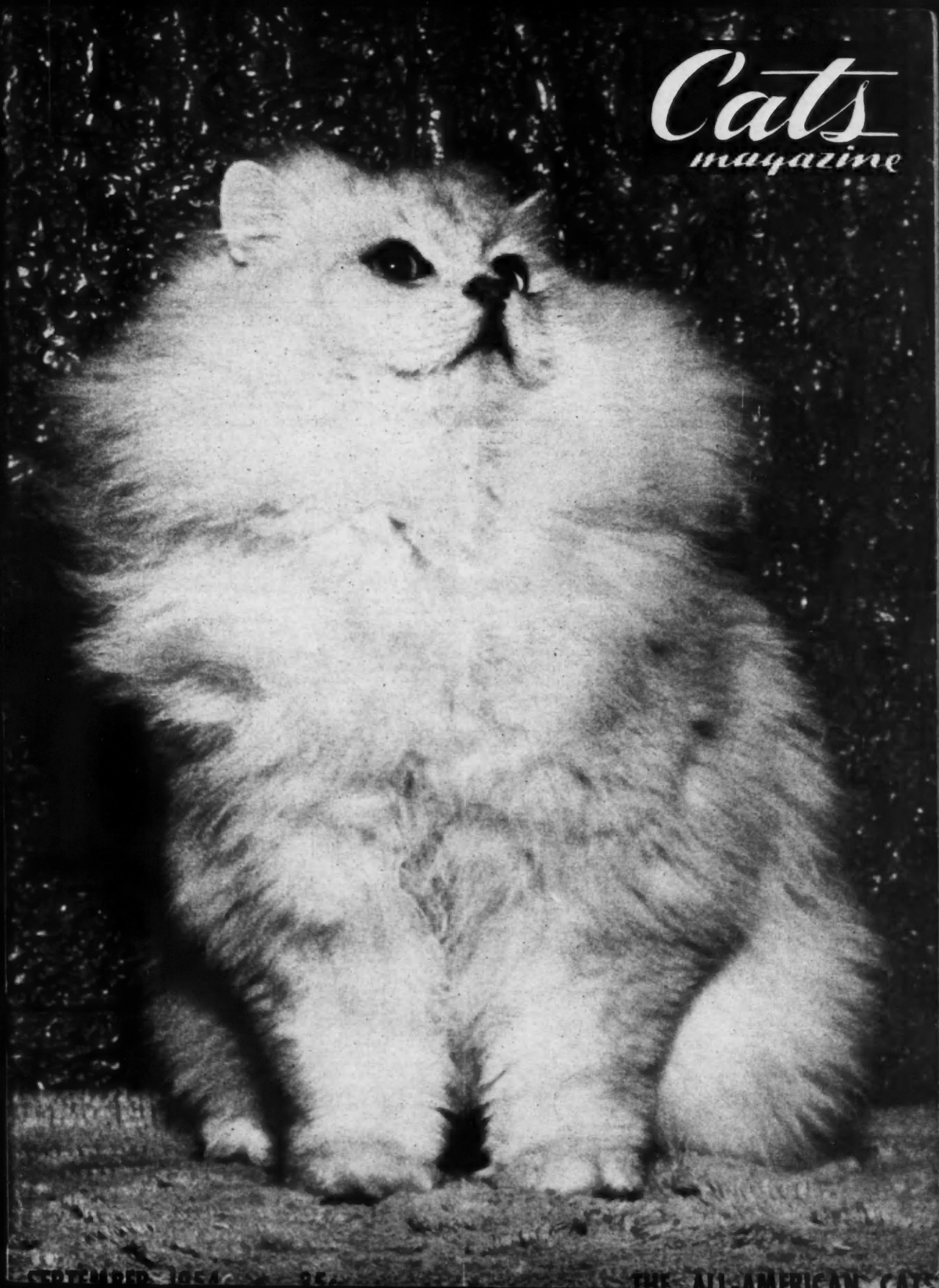


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"CATS" READERS RESPOND

Dear Editors:

My letter which appeared in the July issue of *Cats Magazine* has completely swamped me with replies—so much so, that I find it impossible to answer everyone—personally. May I prevail upon you to publish a small item of appreciation to all those sweet loving cat owners who took time out to write me and give me advice and help with my problem.

If I can also at any time help anyone who may have to travel with their pets outside of the United States, they only have to refer to you to obtain our mailing address, and I will certainly give them all the information I can to assist them.

Margaret M. Flinter

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GRATEFUL TO "NOVICE"

Dear Editors:

I have attended cat shows in and around New York both as an exhibitor and as spectator and enjoy them very much. I have Persians, and just two weeks ago a litter of 4 arrived, and believe me, I was grateful for the article by Blanche Wolfram in the July issue. For me, it was very timely, and I hope you will run some more articles by her, and similar material from time to time, so that cat owners will be better informed as to how to care for their pets.

You also have some beautiful covers for your magazine. Keep up the good work!

Mrs. Roy R. Schoenig

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Millington, N. J.

BLACK SIAMESE

Dear Editors:

Replying to Virginia Brian's article and question about her Black Siamese in May issue of *Cats Magazine* I would say that genetically a Seal Point Siamese Female mated to a dark Domestic Shorthair or a solid color dark Domestic female mated to a Seal Point Female will produce hybrids which should be pure black if not too many colors are mixed in the domestic cats back of them.

Once I mated my Seal Point Stud to a pure Black Domestic Shorthair female to quiet her for the sake of a neighbor. She produced four of the loveliest black kittens you ever saw, like those in Miss Brian's picture of her cat. They have the type, texture of coat, the characteristics and energy of the Siamese. The only apparent difference from a true Siamese is the coat color. They are great climbers as are the Siamese.

They are certainly lovely pets but not allowed in the C. F. A. Championship Classes in Cat Show for points. The C. F. A. aims to keep breeds pure in strain and any crosses of this kind is apparent to the Judges and not allowed points at the shows.

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Irma A. Rich

CONCERNING CAESARIANS

Dear Editors:

I have read with pleasure the article in *Cats* for July by Blanche Wolfram. But I cannot resist adding information from my experience concerning the kittens of a cat who has had a Caesarian operation. I have had quite a few and find that the cat can take her own kittens and nurse them after twenty-four hours. I feed them with a nursing bottle, half condensed milk and half boiled water and put them in with the Mother as soon as she will take them, which is usually the next morning. Her milk comes in quite promptly when the kittens are with her and meanwhile I keep feeding them every three hours until I am sure she has enough. Kittens will refuse feeding when they get enough from the Mother.

It is a pity to deprive the mother of the pleasure of nursing her kittens and it also may cause trouble with the breasts if the milk comes and is not nursed.

I think the article is *very good* and should be a great help for breeders. I do want to add that it is important *not* to let the cat stay in labor too long, not more than four hours and if kittens do not come, take to the veterinarian at once. I have just had one that had a kitten caught crosswise of the birth passage and no way it could have been born naturally.

Emily de Haas

El Gato Azul

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EXCUSE ACCEPTED

Dear Editors:

I am sorry to be so late in renewing by subscription for I wanted to do so on receiving your card, but - - -

Household chores and care of my feline family, one Domestic Shorthair, 16 years old, one Siamese mother, Tu Sing, and four children of hers, all neutered plus my regular profession of private duty nurse are the reasons. At present, there are six babies born April 20th of a litter of fourteen! These babies give plenty to do for no rug or anything stays put! As you can imagine.

I had ever heard of a litter of fourteen! Some were evidently born dead, one was a hairless embryo, others were undersize and a few normal size. Seven died the day of birth and one more the following day, tho' I succeeded in increasing its respirations, it didn't seem to have any body strength.

A couple of little ones had a hard time fighting for places and did not gain as rapidly as the sturdy ones. However, they are showing improvement in size and appearance now, and are as playful as the others. Why the mother had so many. I do not know. Her maximum previous litter was six.

Ruth W. Mildreth

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COVER—1954 CAT OF THE YEAR
Grand and Triple Champion Kerry Lu Ramon of Casa Contenta did more than clinch his claim to the 1954 Cat-of-the-Year title when his lucky owner, Mrs. Helen Van Zee of Lemon Grove, California, took him to the New Orleans Cat Fanciers, Inc., Quintuple Show last March. It's true that he broke all previous records by taking three BEST IN SHOW wins (He'd just done the same thing in two days at two differently sponsored shows in Minneapolis), but almost as important, he happened to meet Mike Bates, New Orleans Times-Picayune photographer at a time when both Mike and Ramon were at their best, and the result—one of the best cat portraits of this year or any year.

TOP AWARD WINNERS

PREVIOUS YEARS

CATS OF THE YEAR

- 1953—Gr. Ch. Arlington's Sensation II, Chinchilla Longhair Female—Mrs. Merold Hoag.
- 1952—Gr. and Dbl. Ch. Great Lake Timothy of Rosemont, Blue Longhair Male—Mrs. Frances Kosierowski.
- 1951—Gr. Ch. Pied Piper of Barbe Bleue, Black Longhair Male—Mrs. Frances S. Campbell and Mrs. Bess A. Morse.
- 1950—Gr. Ch. Lavender Liberty Beau, Blue Longhair Male—Anthony DeSantis.
- 1949—Gr. Ch. Dixi-Land's Felice of Nor-Mont, Blue Longhair Female, Mrs. Merold Hoag.
- 1948—Gr. Ch. Dixi-Land's Pearl Harbor Yank, Blue Longhair Male—Mrs. J. H. Revington.
- 1947—Ch. Wimauma Masterpiece of Chalus, Blue Longhair Male — Charles G. Victor.

O. S. CATS OF THE YEAR

- 1953—Gr. and Dbl. Ch. (Imp) Moonbeam of Gayland's Blue Longhair Male, Miss Verner E. Clum.
- 1952—Gr. and Dbl. Ch. Cymri Dee-va, Seal Point Siamese Female, Mrs. Lillian E. Pedulla.
- 1951—Gr. Ch. Rosedere DeAnne of Nor-Mont, Blue-Cream Longhair—Mrs. Merold Hoag.
- 1950—Gr. Ch. Vee Roi's Lantara Gene, Blue Point Siamese Female—Mrs. R. H. Hecht.
- 1949—Ch. Dixi-Land's White Historian II, Orange-Eyed White Longhair Male, Mrs. J. H. Revington.
- 1948—Dbl. Ch. Vee Roi's Katisha, Seal Point Siamese Female—Mrs. R. H. Hecht.
- 1947—Dbl. Ch. Vee Roi's Lantara Gene, Blue Point Siamese Female, Mrs. R. H. Hecht.

THE 1954 ALL-AMERICAN CAT STORY

Already the 1954-1955 Cat Show Season has begun, and cats and their owners alike are readying themselves for six full months of competition and companionship as individual cats will be put to the test of actual comparison at the hands of carefully trained impartial judges while their owners are renewing friendly rivalries and acquaintances.

Only one chapter of last year's season remains—the long-awaited listing of the All-American Cats—the top prize-winners as computed by CATS magazine's copyrighted scoring system. Starting on page eighteen of this issue of CATS and continuing to page thirty-nine are the names of these cats and their owners, their breed and sex designations and in most cases announcements by their owners including photographs, addresses, and other information.

First, and highest-scoring cat as shown in the box on this page is 1954 Cat-of-the-Year Grand and Triple Champion Kerry Lu Ramon of Casa Contenta, Silver (Chinchilla) male owned by Dr. and Mrs. V. Van Zele of Lemon Grove, California. Second, and highest female is O.S. Cat-of-the-Year Grand Champion Ammon Ra's Taisho, Seal Point Siamese female of Miss Lillian Magner, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

The ten runner-up All-American and American Honorable Mention cats are (in order): Dbl. Gr. Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Nee-ang, Gr. and Tpl. Ch. Burque Lee's Creme de le Creme, Gr. and Dbl. Ch. Julie's Bandit of Jadawh-Boren, Tpl. Gr. Ch. Moonbeam of Gaylands, Dbl. Gr. and Tpl. Ch. Lee's Hi-Hat Champaign, Ch. Twinkling Star of Evergreen, Dbl. Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Ricki, Ch. Chewanna's Sweet Sentiment, Tpl. Ch. Favors Maxim of Beverly-Serrano, and (tied for tenth spot) Dbl. Ch. Ta-Lee-Ho-Ena and Dbl. Ch. Texas Valiant Prince. Highest-scoring Shorthair male is thus Dr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Boren's Blue Point Gr. and Dbl. Ch. Julie's Bandit of Jadawh-Boren, while top Longhair female honors go to Ch. Chewanna's Sweet Sentiment Shaded Silver female owned by Mrs. Carl Keller.

Gr. Ch. Renee's Zaca of Kiva, Silver Tabby male owned by Mrs. S. G. Miles ran up the highest score of any Domestic Shorthair, and Opposite Sex D.S.H. honors also went to a Silver Tabby, B. A. Lauder's Dbl. Ch. Mao Starita Texian. Black Manx male Tpl. Ch. Akanta's Mr. Quarternote of FarFin, owned by FarFin Catteries earned the most A-A points for his breed while the O.S. Manx designation went to Mrs. Virginia Lee Sweem's Silver Tabby Quad. Ch. Mrs. Minus of Mei Lei. Dbl. Ch. Wee-Sal of Medicine Lake, Seal Point Siamese owned by Mrs. Adolph Olson, gained top Kitten position and Mrs. John Bloem's Blue Longhair Bloemhill Aladdin had the high male Kitten score.

The Cat-of-the-Year and O.S. Cat-of-

the-Year awards gained by "Ramon" and "Taisho" are the visible evidence that during the past show season these two extraordinarily fine cats have scored more and higher show wins than have any other cats in the United States and Canada. The same is also true of all the other All-American winners as compared to all the American and Canadian cats in their own breed, color, and sex designations. This year, for the first time, recognition is also given to American Honorable Mention Cats—winning individuals who have earned a large number of All-American points, but who are second in their own breed, color, and sex classifications.

"Ramon's" record, the more remarkable for a Longhair because it was compiled in his first season of show competition, includes Twelve *Best in Show* wins under eleven different judges—seven in All Breed shows, five in Specialties. "Taisho" was shown under nine judges and earned nine *Best in Show* awards, four in All Breeds and five in Specialties. Both cats thus gained their high honors the "hard way"—against all kinds of competition and under the widest possible number of judges . . . to unquestionably earn their right to Catdom's highest awards.

The 1954 All-American whose record goes back farthest is Ba Lo's Queen Desira who was All-American in 1948 and again in 1953. Longest consecutive record is owned by Normont's Angelique who has been A-A every year since 1950, while Tpl. Ch. Tommy Orange is reclaiming this year the All-American title which he first captured in 1950. Tpl. Ch. Elco's Rudolpho is the only fourth-time A-A, his consecutive record going back to 1951; while Tpl. Ch. Senza Coda's Storm Cloud of Ontario, Dbl. Ch. Floridanus Tangelo, and Quad. Ch. Billig's Patina all are claiming their third successive A-A rosette. Tpl. Ch. Rusty of Ri-Bo is regaining a 1952 All-American designation. Cats repeating 1953 A-A wins are Tpl. Gr. Ch. (Imp) Moonbeam of Gaylands, 1953 C-Y; Ch. Longhill's Tres Chic of Flagstone; Ch. Garvinia's Sissy of Polychrome; Ch. Shawnee's Masquerade; Dbl. Ch. Tempurra's Truly Fair; Dbl. Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Ricki; Rosedere Dolly of Chesterfield; Gr. Ch. Renee's Zaca of Kiva; Samdur's Spice; Dbl. Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Tabitha; and Dbl. Ch. Jesse's Ambar.

1954 American Honorable Mention Ribbon winners who have previously gained A-A's are Ch. Shy's Castle Starlette, 1953; West Allis Annette, 1952; Dbl. Ch. and Tpl. Ch. Lee's Hi-Hat Champaign, 1952 and 1953; Silvercrest Alcyone of Skyland, 1949; Quad Ch. Ambigi, 1953; Lamar's Karen, 1952 and 1953; Tpl. Ch. Dominic Dhu Leo, 1952; Dbl. Ch. Ellan Vannin's Tortice (Imp), 1953.

1954 CAT of the YEAR

GRAND and TRIPLE CHAMPION KERRY LU RAMON OF CASA CONTENTA

Chinchilla (Silver) Longhair Male

Born: November 2, 1949

Sire: Beverly Serrano Jody of Kerry Lu

Dam: Ben Fair Twilight Melody

Breeder: Mrs. Lowell Benfer

Owner: Dr. and Mrs. V. Van Zele

1954 O.S. CAT of the YEAR

GRAND CHAMPION AMMON RA'S TAISHO

Seal Point Siamese Female

Born: July 10, 1952

Sire: Ch. Shawnee's Image O'Monkey

Dam: Dbl. Ch. Ammon Ra's Little Fawn Da (AM-52)

Breeder: Miss Lillian Magner

Owner: Miss Lillian Magner

Tied for leading number of winners are Mrs. Virginia Lee Sweem and Mrs. Maud Barney with three A-A's and one AHM each. Kay M. Thoma and the FarFin Cattery both have two A-A's and one American Honorable Mention; while two All-Americans each are claimed by Mrs. Howell J. Mueller, Florence Kemmer, Phyllis Lee Whitney, Mrs. S. G. Miles, Mildred A. Joseph, LeVona Wright, the Birkett's, Mrs. Ralph E. Newton, and Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Billig, Jr. Dr. Fern Smith has one A-A with two American Honorable Mentions, and one of each type of award goes to Mrs. Joan Carter, Mrs. Merald Hoag, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith, Mrs. Richard O'Donovan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Forrest, Mrs. Fred Hoyt, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Yearin. Mrs. F. L. Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. E. Burrell Finch, and Mrs. J. D. Elliott both earned two AHM's.

The geographical distribution of the All-American Rosettes and the American Honorable Mention ribbons is very even this year with only the East suffering because of the relatively few shows held in that section. Thirty-five All-Americans and twenty-four AHM's went to the West, twenty-nine and twenty-one to the South and sixteen and fifteen to the Midwest, with seven and nine to the East.

These tangible evidences of the nationwide ratings of last season's leading cats are now on the way to the winners for display in the coming season. Our congratulations to the recipients, and our best wishes for success to all exhibitors and their cats in 1954-1955. The best show season of all lies just ahead—Here's to the exhibitors and spectators and especially to the show officials, the judges, and the workers who will be most instrumental in its success.

FEWLINES 'BOUT FELINES

Collected by ANNE METCALF

SCHOPENHAUER, THE CAT

Reluctantly he loved us, for we were
His family. But "cuddle" was a word
Unknown to him. And when he, rarely,
purred,
It was a small, fierce sound. His dark
striped fur
Softened but little the hard, bony frame,
His little face was sober, almost grim,
As if determination flooded him
To live up to each nuance of the name.
He scorned soft beds, preferring the bare
floor,
Sought out our presence with a fiendish
yowl,
Chased the big dog next door and made
him howl,
Ate what he fed him, clawed at us for
more.
He loved us in his fashion, it is true.
Now he has gone, we find we loved him
too!

—Lee Avery

HEAVENLY PET

I have proof that all stars
Do not gleam from the skies:
At night two sparkle bright
In my old tabby's eyes.

—Dick Hayman

Mills thinks the cat's resentment to
ill-treatment may originally have made
it unpopular with men. Possibly it
helped women to understand the animal
better. Myriads of men, however,
also excel in an understanding of the
nature of the cat, and in some London
cat shows have outnumbered women
as exhibitors. It was a man (Sir Walter
Scott, who at first disliked cats but
capitulated to their charms after ac-
quiring his Hinsel of Hinsefield) who
first referred to a cat as "who."

—Dr. Ida M. Mellen, "The Science
and the Mystery of the Cat,
Charles Scribner's Sons, New York

JANET TO HER KITTEN

Sandy, indeed, you are the counterpart
Of any image, close espaliered
Along the hearth, I see you rise and
start
Is it an ancient call your ears have
heard?
You sat upon my window sill today
And slyly nipped the petals of my rose;
The inclination of your kind to slay
Is evidenced in gestures such as those.
But age has labored long that you fore-
swear
Inherent grandiose and savagery
Of your wild clan; now here without a
care
You slumber, knowing all you mean to
me.
Fate gave to you the fruit of peace, I find
But left for me the empty, useless rind.
—Jean Chalmers Donaldson

CAT IN MOONLIGHT

She threads mysterious labyrinths of
grass,
Her tawny flanks dark-mottled with the
dew,
From tunneled blades her widened green
eyes stare
At moving patterns where the moon
breaks through.
Beguiled by night, wild odors that allure,
She arches, flexes, ears alert for sound,
Treads with high step, deceptively de-
mure,
The curious white ground.

—Katherine van de Veer

SEPTEMBER

September yawns here upon the hill-
top,
The color of gold in the warm sun-
shine,
A lazy cat fed and contented,
Claws sheathed, and purring
In the mellow afternoon of the year.

—Bonnie May Malody

NO COMMENT

And sleepy-eyed, the cat
Blinks at this and that
But mostly at my hat.
A thing of monstrous size
Once a perfect prize
Now blotting out my eyes.
I cut, I twist, I turn,
The hat now's like an urn . . .
The lopped off parts, I burn.
Just cut it down . . . I did
This most voluptuous lid . . .
When struggling face it hid.
In early years 'twas great,
This plumage hat was Fate
And cause for many a date.
Today I must be chic
Hat smallness I will seek
Puss curlicues her cheek.
Point blank I ask the cat
"Now do you like my hat?"
Puss blinked and sat and sat.

—Lulu M. Schultz

THE FIGHTER

Our cat came in torn up again.
He's a small cat but he weighs nine
pounds—we weighed him.
He doesn't have to fight if he doesn't
want to, does he?
He doesn't even seem to mind being
torn up—
Do you suppose he wants to fight?
If you want something bad enough you
fight for it.
That's it—he has to fight.
After all, he does have to fight.
And he doesn't mind the consequences—
He accepts the consequences.
Good cat.

—C. M. Schmid

From the New York Herald Tribune,
contributed by Kenneth Booth

THE LESSON

The little cream kitten
Lays back his ears—
Back quickly away
From the cause of his fears—
He is sweetly perplexed
As he stares at the floor,
At his own little shadow
Directly before—
He backs quickly, it follows—
He quickens his pace—
Both kitten and shadow
Are running a race!
He stops now, and gives
An inquisitive pat—
Nothing there? The cream kitten
Can't understand that!
... look! He's discovered
If he walks straight ahead,
That HE'S the pursuer
Of the object of dread.
No longer perplexed,
Contented withal
He jingles his bell-toy
And chases his ball—
Oh, Kitten, we humans
Need your lesson too
The same shadows confront us
That lie around you—
If, like cowards, we shrink,
They but stifle the more,
Till life is a prison
Without any door
But if we show courage,
Step bravely again,
E'en shadows will own us
As Masters and Men.

—Elizabeth Roberts

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ment, and that rare and marvelous vir-
tue, a taste for the difficult.

Sophie Kerr, from "People and Cats,"
Cosmopolitan Magazine, Nov. 1935

FOR LEO:

(Red Persian, age—two months)

It is done . . . it is finished.
The long hours of waiting—of hoping
are over,
And now he lies beneath the four o'clocks
Under my windows, hid forever
From dancing sunlight and the warm
south winds.
The tall grasses where he chased butter-
flies
Are lonely and still.
I listen . . . listen . . .
Longing to hear his eager feet racing
across the floor.
His gentle call at my door.
I listen, knowing my little golden lion
Will come no more . . . no more.

—Lynn Hamilton

WE LIVE WITH A PSYCHOTIC CAT by

Harold Coffin

A full-fledged nervous breakdown, diagnosed by a veterinarian, with a flair for psychiatry, gave us the first clue to the extent of our cat's variance from the feline norm.

This original indisposition has been followed by an imposing series of other psychosomatic manifestations. There was the time Kay thought she was a phonograph record. On another occasion she decided she was the left front wheel of a 1952 Studebaker. She is in and out of the psychiatric ward almost as regularly as well-adjusted cats invade the neighbor's garbage can.

Kay is a plain, though smartly furred, alley cat. Her coat is ace-of-spades black. She sports white boots and gloves, and a white jabot. Her plebian background offers no genetic explanation for a neurotic pre-disposition. But her overall appearance—pert, neat and altogether feminine—has proved to be not unattractive to tomcats; and this fact led to her initial Terrible Experience and the nervous breakdown.

We had tried to protect her from just such an encounter by assuring her, through surgery, of a lifetime uncomplicated by marital problems.

Kay emerged from the hospital dedicated to a life of spinsterhood. But there was one tomcat in the neighborhood who didn't know it.

When he pressed his attentions with too much ardor, she fled to one corner of our living room. For 24 hours she sat there, staring at the wall. She refused the food and drink we brought her and did not react to our petting, coaxing and simulated meowing.

The vet said she was in a state of shock—suffering from a nervous breakdown. He prescribed rest and an avoidance of social contacts . . . especially those involving gentleman cats.

She eventually achieved a semblance of normality; but it requires no Freudian expert to understand why she still is suspicious of strange men and always acts "nervous as a cat" while they are in the house.

The nervous breakdown has been followed by other neurotic spells of varying intensity. During these visitations—brought on by such things as a barking dog, air raid siren test, or even a rapidly falling leaf—the cat retires to the psychiatric ward to sulk until a restored nervous adjustment permits her emergence.

She herself located and established the psych ward. It is a pitch black cell two feet square under a dressing table in the bedroom. It is isolated from the outside world by the decorative cloth flounces attached to the table's edge.

But on two recent occasions, when her spells were accompanied by personality transference compulsions, the psychiatric ward facilities proved inadequate.

The last time was when she didn't eat the canary.

And just prior to that, it was Kay's phobia concerning sewer installation engineers.

They were putting in a sewer line along East Cliff drive just outside our bedroom windows. This entailed much going and coming with bulldozers, diggers and heavy rollers.

These behemoths admittedly made more noise than the normal traffic flow past our house, but we did not expect them to engender such violent reaction from Kay. Like the traditional Englishman, the cat always has considered the house her castle and a haven of refuge from outdoor dangers.

But this time she was in a panic to flee not only from the sewer-side bedroom, but from the house itself. We followed her retreat to the garage, but located her only after an intensive search.

Kay was perched under the fender on the left front wheel of the family automobile and could not be dislodged by coaxing or prying. She was as firmly attached to the tire as a vulcanized tread.

I was forced to back the car until the cat came in contact with the garage floor. It was the only way we could convince Kay she was not the left front wheel of the 1952 Studebaker.

Any student of abnormal psychology will recognize the cat's compulsion to play the part of a wheel. It can be psychoanalyzed as a personality transference induced by her fear of those huge rollers on the tractor rigs.

It is not unlike the case of an individual with an unreasoning fear of high places who goes off his rocker and thinks he is an airplane or the flagpole on the Empire State Building.

A somewhat similar drive of psychosomatic factors caused the cat to consider herself a phonograph record when we wouldn't allow her to eat the canary.

The relationships between cat and canary and the predestined interplay of inherited behavior patterns will be recognized in this incident, but one other factor must be explained. That is Kay's deep-seated aversion to high-pitched sounds. In a word: she doesn't like whistling. *Can't stand it!*

In spite of this fixation everything promised to run smoothly when we first installed the canary as a favor to the bird's owners, our vacation-bound neighbors.

The cat not only tolerated the new boarder, but even seemed to welcome his presence. We were quite proud of her hospitable display of interest.

It soon became obvious, though, that this interest was more a matter of appetite than friendliness. The cat parked under the cage for hours, staring at the newcomer in gustatory anticipation. Her greedy purrs were accompanied by much whisker twitching and numerous lip smackings; and it was not for long that she was content with merely studying

the menu.

She tried to leap up to the cage, in spite of my explanations that for the time being the bird was a member of the family, and that one does not eat members of one's family.

The canary, in his pampered innocence, showed no fear. Seeming to enjoy the commotion, he warbled continually—giving out with high-pitched trills and whistles.

This infuriated Kay; and the campaign that had started merely as an adventure in good eating, now became a noise abatement drive, as well.

The climax came the day the cat figured out a route to her appetizing tormentor via the sideboard and along the drapery rod from which the cage was suspended.

Disentangling the would-be killer from the bars of the cage, we bought a stand (extra tall model) to accommodate the cage in the center of the room where it was out of the cat's reach.

The transfer was accomplished to the whistled accompaniment of all the light operas in the canary's repertoire.

The double frustration to ears and appetite was too much for Kay. The cat disappeared. But this time it didn't take me too long to find her. Through practice I had developed certain basic skills in psychoanalyzing cat complexes.

I looked inside the radio-phonograph cabinet. There was the cat, curled up on the turntable. She thought she was a phonograph record.

Frankly, we don't know what to do next with Kay, the Psychotic Cat.

After all, we just *can't* give her the bird, but can only wonder what the next attack will be.

CLEARING HOUSE FOR CAT LEGISLATION INFORMATION

Cat Lovers of California will face in the State Legislature for 1955 a bill planned by Gertrude Charny for the licensing of cats. It is likely the same will be presented by her in Illinois, and associates in Indiana fear a Charny invasion there in 1955 legislation. An incipient move is on foot in Connecticut to ask the state lawmakers to license cats—it may yet be headed off.

To my knowledge there is little available data on the subject. I am willing to take time for such a pamphlet similar to my one on "The Marauding Cats" bills if I can get cooperation on facts. Please send me clippings, information or anything you can—experiences in your own cities or states. This is important for all cats.

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as told to
J. Esterbrook

Your letter sounded so urgent, I'm sorry I could not reply at once. You say your servant, all too loving, is after you all the time, and your periods of rest are in constant jeopardy. How well I understand! All I can say, for what comfort it may give, is that that is the burden all who are privileged and endowed must suffer. Just as a succulent sliver of chicken is often beyond our strength to leave untouched, so we are a temptation to our servants. The pleasure they derive from stroking us and whispering nothings, though we are dead for sleep, is, understandably, exceedingly great.

However, be reassured, for there are ways by which we can delight them directly, and when practiced with intelligence, these ways satisfy them (albeit temporarily), leaving one leisure at nap-time. This is a small example, but a good one: Have you ever tried walking around, or sitting on, the rim of the tub while they bathe? Do! Note the glint of genuine awe as you balance, and if you sit and stare they will keep up a constant chatter, their faces wreathed in smiles. But watch! For it has been my experience that given an inch they take a mile and chatter themselves into the illusion that all is somehow equal. I have been threatened—in play, of course, but threatened—with emersion, and I have found it wise to linger only in inverse proportion to the size of the glint in their eyes.

Another way—and this insures their endless devotion, so avid is their thirst for recognition and approval—is to squeak whenever they approach. This is difficult to learn, and for best results must come naturally, as, of course, must everything; but this squeak is achieved

by a contraction of the stomach muscles, and is a mixture of purr and voice. This happened first in my extreme youth when Dear Mother would announce dinner, and I have somehow retained the ability. But watch here too lest their response get disorganized, as with other of their emotions, and you get hugged till you can't breathe.

A third way, and most fun of all the ways to delight, is to "Become". I discovered that I had this talent (we all do) one sunny morning when I was walking amongst the pots and flowers, and, sitting down, "Became" a potted plant. It is a state of blank purity not unlike that of Budhivistic Nirvana. Since that day I have "become" many things: a bookend when in the bookcase, a typewriter when the object itself is out of its box, a statue when on the mantel, there is really no end. One can practice this ecstasy to delight one's household, or, when the servants are out, to pass the time. For example, when my servant was writing our Christmas cards, I found that by lying on the envelope, or better, the pen, I "Became" a Christmas card. Pushing this talent, I would nap on the incoming mail, thus passing an entire afternoon as a card. Here again, as with all things, exercise reason and caution. I was exploring the possibilities of the fireplace one evening with intent to becoming either a whole fire, or just a log, when to my bottomless dismay I found I was "Becoming" dirt—and had to spend the rest of the night at my ablutions.

Has this letter been of help? Sincerely I hope so, for nothing is so satisfactory as dedicated employees. Try to remember, though, that if they fail it is due to over-determination, not lack of it. Poor willing things, they do try so hard! Too, remember there are infinite opportunities to nap. If they disturb one time, chalk it up as loss, and try napping later on—perhaps while they are explaining something to you. I, for instance, can drop off when being scolded . . . a skill, to be sure, but practiced more widely than you think with no one the wiser. Anyway, try. As with all exigencies, be wise, not stubborn: Don't lament, or rebel: Go around.

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THE CATS CAME BACK

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The old gentleman died in January at 87 and we have taken the cats back, as his son, who lives a few miles away, made no effort to feed them. One is a pure black fellow and comes to us for his meals, but returns to sleep under the old man's house. When new folks move in, he will probably stay with us all the time. He is a beauty, like a black panther, but having had a Siamese father he has the suspicious nature of that breed. He eats well.

About nine years ago, when a friend of ours bought a charming home in the country, she found that the folks who moved out had left behind a grown tom-cat, and as she had several Siamese, she feared they would not get along peaceably. We agreed to take the cat, which she had neutered. The cat had been shot by boys on a hike and had gashes made by a bobcat which was eventually caught and shot on her property. After he had

As told to
Dr. Ida M. Mellen
remained with us about a year, he left to live with the old gentleman.

One day a car ran over the cat, removing all the skin and fur from his tail and slightly crushing one hind foot. No bones were broken and the foot healed, but we had his tail bobbed, as gangrene had set in. He recovered completely and looked fine. Then he received a mysterious injury which has left him with a crippled front foot. He is now extremely content with us, pays no attention to the dogs, and eats like a wolf. All in all, he has really spent nearly all his nine lives. He is back-and-white, very strangely marked, with no pattern at all.

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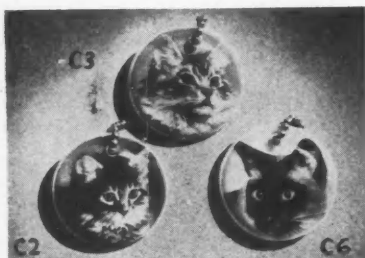
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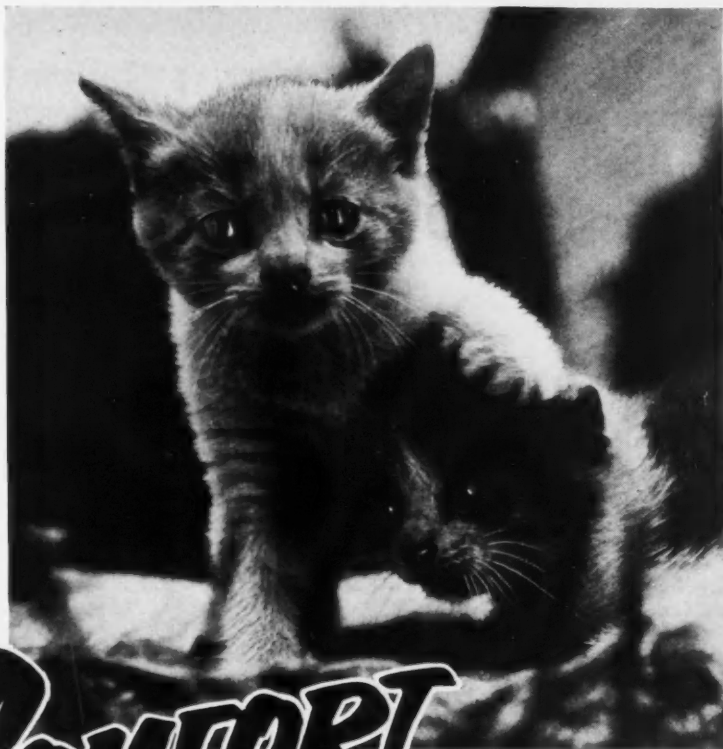
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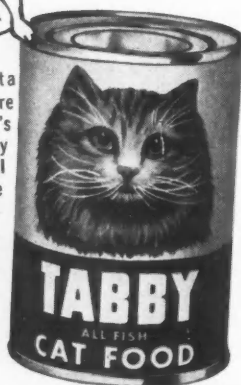


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AN ANALYSIS OF WOOL CHEWING

by
Ann Manley

In the past we have experimented, with the cooperation of several veterinarians, in the problem of correcting the habit of wool chewing. Our observations and recommendations follow:

1. There seems to be some inherited tendency to wool chewing although all descendants of a wool chewer do not always become wool chewers.
2. It might be dietary in origin, conceivably, but all our work indicates that is not necessarily the cause. We have tried extra fatty acids, vitamins, other fats and oils; in fact, any sort of additive suggested to us during the experimental period, all with no apparent change in cats with well-fixed habits.
3. Apparently a cat cannot be broken or trained out of the habit by punishment or even by such drastic methods as the use of ipecac-impregnated wool.
4. An occasional cat is so bad in this habit that nothing but restricting it to a cage or putting it to sleep is effective. This kind of wool chewer seems to have such a strong compulsion to chew wool that there is nothing that you can do to correct or alleviate the situation. They can open cupboards and fight their way into drawers, etc., to find their seemingly necessary wool. These cats with the excessive compulsion seem to be those most likely to pass the condition on to their children. Obviously they are useless as pets and often it seems unwise to use them for breeding unless they are of exceptional value or quality. If they are not to be retained as breeders, the question of putting them to sleep should be considered—it is kinder than passing them on as pets to people who would not understand them. We heard once of a couple of Siamese owners who had two wool chewing neutered males. They fenced off a portion of their apartment with chicken wire for the cats. They soon felt the cats were not happy being fenced in, so removed all wool except the blankets on the bed, then built the chicken wire fence around the bed, and went to bed in the cage themselves! Item: We like

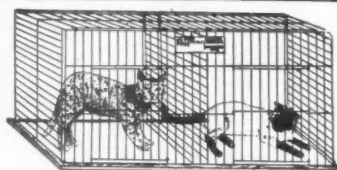
to take a Siamese or two to bed with us!

5. Many cats seem to have the tendency to chew wool and other textiles to a very small extent. ("Other textiles" are usually similar to wool and of a fuzzy weave or yarn such as spun nylon, but some cats will eat soiled sox and underclothing or kitchen towels, dishcloths, sponges, and other things with similarly interesting smells or flavors.) These cats can be controlled more readily and their habits can often be corrected entirely. Their trouble is often psychological and more attention or more frequent periods of undivided attention and affection may be entirely enough to stop the chewing. One of our queens will look for something to chew as infrequently as once in three or four months and then only if she is jealous or feels neglected. A little affection right then and there, followed by just a little extra attention during the next few days will take care of it like magic.
6. Kittens which are separated from their mothers at too early an age seem to chew wool more readily than others. This brings to mind the question of the sucking instinct in humans and the usual conclusion that excessive thumb-sucking (and occasionally blanket sucking!) often stems from early weaning or the unsatisfied sucking instinct resulting from too short periods of nursing or from nursing bottle nipples with extra large holes which allow the baby to get the milk too easily. It has even been suggested that smoking, cigar-chewing and gum-chewing are adult manifestations of the same unsatisfied urge! Note that kittens weaned too early may well suffer both from an unsatisfied sucking instinct plus the psychological blow of being separated from their mother too soon.

SUGGESTED PREVENTIVE PRECAUTIONS:

1. Do not give nursing kittens wool, wooly or fuzzy bedding or toys.
2. While raising kittens and young cats, do not leave sweaters, afghans or soiled items where cats may come in contact with them.
3. Do not keep as pets in your home more cats than you can give sufficient individual love and attention. If you must have a large cattery, house it in a separate room or building.
4. Do provide an optimum diet and be certain you are supplying sufficient fatty acids and amino acids of the necessary kinds either in the food or as additives.
5. Feed kittens with their mother from an early age but do not prevent nursing or separate the kittens from the queen too soon.

ABOVE ALL, do not underestimate the psychological factor: the cat needs love and understanding in large doses.



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Cats Question Box

Conducted by E. A. Renaux, D. V. M.

I notice that Margaret Cooper in "How to Live with a Cat" recommends garlic as a worm treatment for cats. Have you found this of benefit?

—Miss E. F. M., Glastonbury, Conn.

The effects of garlic are as controversial with animal lovers as politics are with voters. I personally have not had any experience with it. Those that have used it will either swear by it or at it. In the American Illustrated Medical Dictionary, 20th edition, by Dorland, garlic is mentioned as useful as a digestive stimulant and for chest disturbances such as a cough. Clive M. McCay, professor of nutrition at Cornell University says in his book Nutrition of the Dog, garlic "has been little studied and no merit can be assigned" to it. However, if it works satisfactorily for some I would be the last to discourage its use except for some specific reason.

We recently acquired a kitten about three months old. She is a half-breed Siamese, and absolutely tailless—what a Manx breeder would call a Rumpy. Prior to her arrival here, she was completely housebroken, but as soon as we got her, not only did she cease to be housebroken, but seemed to lose all control of herself. She constantly dribbles urine especially. Otherwise she eats well, drinks milk and water and is very affectionate. Is this condition inherent with the taillessness and incurable, or involved with her change of environment?

—Mrs. T. T., Flemington, N. J.

While it is always possible that a hereditary deformity associated with the Manx characteristic has brought about this lack of control of elimination, I would guess that such is not the case here. Why a cat will be housebroken in one place and not in another I do not know, yet this happens, and without physical cause. Cats that will not behave properly in a new home, will usually go right to the sand pan where they were trained to go, when they are returned to their breeder or original home. This condition is not peculiar to any one type of cat. Care, kindness, and patience, and further efforts at trying to train her again are all that I can suggest.

I would like to know what is considered a well balanced diet for Siamese cats? I feed mine frozen horsemeat with rice (brown), canned horsemeat, raw kidneys, cooked kidneys, canned cat food, and cooked beef.

—Mrs. V. L. M., Albuquerque, N. M.

This diet is typical of what many cats get to eat. I do not feel that it is a balanced diet because it is deficient in cereal foods which have food values that are lacking in the meat. Dry dog food, shredded wheat, or similar products should be added to insure that all the vitamins and minerals are supplied. Even a canned cat or dog food is all right. "But my cat will not eat that," I hear every day. But if it were a child would you give in and let him eat what he wanted or would you feed him what she should have for proper growth and body maintenance?

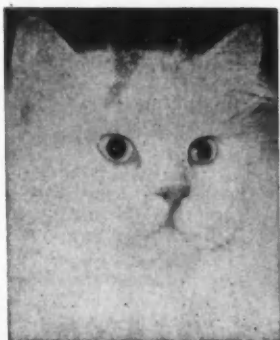
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cats—all of these problems we have with us always. Harry Oliver in his *DESERT RAT SCRAP BOOK* gives a quotation from Abraham Lincoln, "The cats fight, but there are always plenty of kittens." So, cat lovers fight—not because they love cats but because they are humans. We may (usually do) have some special avenue of cat activity but let us realize that ALL CATS are the problem of ALL cat lovers. Here is something from Kit Wilson's editorial in the April number of *THE CAT FANCY* which I hope everyone will take to heart. Miss Wilson once wrote to me and stated that on her desk as she wrote were some "alley" cats which she loved equally with the pedigreed cats she judges in England and on the Continent. She is at the heart of the Fancy and one of its outstanding figures. Kit Wilson writes:

" . . . Is it too much to hope that the forthcoming season will allow the reason for the 'being of the Fancy,' namely the welfare, breeding, and common interest in cats, to be the main concern of all fanciers, and that all their stupid, petty squabbles may be a thing of the past. Our Fancy is not—and please God, never will be the House of Commons with bitter party politics—or is it? Has a cat any political views? If asked all it would do is purr 'Couldn't care less'! Is not the cat in Communist Russia or China the same in structure as those in Britain or the U.S.A.? Does not the same apply to the cat in Republican France or royalist Norway? All ask for the same care, and suffer the same ills. When one knows of the millions of cats the world over who are suffering through man's neglect—what the heck does it matter who holds some position or other, in something or other club? All that really matters is that those who hold those positions should lead their clubs along the one and only path—that of trying to better the lot of cats, all cats—for is not the beautiful pedigree from the same stock in the dim dark ages as the poor stray struggling for existence?"

Thank you, Kit Wilson, for those wholesome, constructive — and courageous words.

Let us conduct the Cat Shows and all work of the FANCY for the cats primarily and only secondarily for the folks. Let more of the companions of the "ordinary" cats attend more of the shows and learn the love and beauty of the pedigree cats. And most important—as long as one stray cat remains unprotected and uncared for, a threat hangs over the most exclusive cattery in the world. I mention these only to bring to your attention some of the currents of the Cat world.

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To some readers, these articles will merely be pleasurable reading of essentials that have long been known; but to others, it may be the discovery of fundamentals for which they have been searching day after day.

The novice of today has the pioneer breeders of yesterday to thank for making cat breeding possible for the layman. Through their constant vigilance of the health of the cat, the many cures to feline sicknesses were first mentioned and then made a final reality. One can well imagine the many heartaches and tears that were entailed when whole catteries would be wiped out for the lack of medical knowledge and the proper medicine to cope with the dreaded diseases. However, through it all, those of the past have given us the many healthy specimens of various breeds that are to be found in catteries throughout the world.

Now that fine cats are becoming increasingly popular in the home as well as the cattery, many veterinarians and laboratories are continuously carrying on research into the causes and cures of various cat diseases. With the discovery of the so called "miracle drugs", many of which are being used on cats with excellent results, we have a better opportunity to save those cats whose being sick heretofore meant almost certain death. But perhaps one of the most important discoveries was the vaccine to combat the intensely toxic Gastro Enteritis. No cat should be kept without the protection of this vital vaccine, for contact with the disease without preventive measures usually means certain death for the cat. More about this in a later article.

As there are golden rules for human existence, there is one for feline well-being—see to it that a sick cat receives prompt medical attention. Never wait until a disease has a firm grip on a cat before taking it to your vet. He is no miracle worker but he will certainly serve you and your cats well if you co-operate with him to the best of your ability. Then, too, it is possible that information that was of help to others might help both you and your vet in affecting a cure in much less time and with less expense.

One other item of prime importance is good nursing. Not only is it necessary to provide proper medication to relieve physical pain, but even animals will respond better to treatment if the atmosphere surrounding its existence is a cheerful one. Do all you can to keep up the spirits of the cat and add to this the thought of always keeping its place of confinement spotlessly clean. Kindness, love, and good care pay off in big dividends, even if those dividends only come

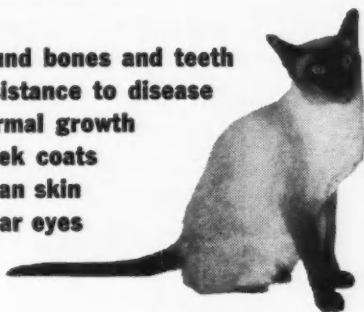
The Purpose of this column by Blanche Wolfram

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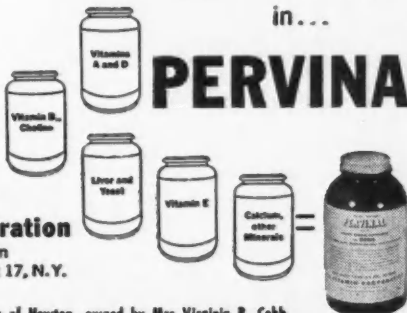
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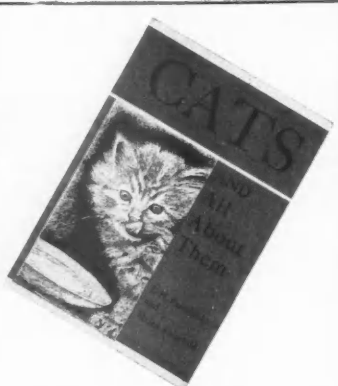
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At the Garden State Cat Club of New Jersey show in Newark December 1 and 2 Miss Kathleen Yorke of England will again be back to judge the S.C., Silver, and T&T Specialties, while in a repeat of last year's innovation to America two judges will again divide the All Breed classes, with Miss York acting as referee judge if required. Mrs. Mary Carroll and Dr. Evans S. Sawyer will handle the All Breed, while another English judge, Mr. Brian Sterling-Webb will officiate in the Siamese Specialty.

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Show Reporter

all future shows will be held at about this season.

Norfolk Cat Fanciers, Inc.—October 30th and 31st—are stressing the comforts of the Hotel Chamberlin at Old Point Comfort, Va., as well as their fine selection of shows and judges—All Breed with Anthony DeSantis; National Siamese Cat Club, Sven Nelson; and Silver, Tabby & Tortie and Solid Color Specialties with Mrs. Lawrence Pelton.

The Pacific Coast Cat Fanciers (Oct. 23-24) judging slate has been completed—Miss Ruth Fisher for All Breed, Charles Williams Short-hair, and John Konkel, Longhair while with C.F.F. on the East Coast the Springfield Cat Fanciers are returning on Sept. 25-26 to the Eastern States Exposition in West Springfield, Mass., for their first show at the Exposition since 1948. Judges are Doris Hobbs and Ellen Richmond. Penn State's October 27 and 28 show will put Mrs. J. J. Small on the All Breed judging stand, Mrs. Doris O'Connell handling Shorthair, Mrs. Silas Andrews on Tabbies and Torties and Mrs. Heien Hildebrand in the Solid Color.

There's not room to discuss each show this month in detail, but you can be sure that you'll find a hearty welcome for you and your cats of any of those listed in the Show Calendar on pages 41 and 42. Read the ads for further information, and write Show Secretaries for entry blanks and full details.

Blue Cat Society Cup List Available to All Shows

The Secretary would like to again suggest to all members and Show Secretaries that they get in touch with her if the Blue Cat Society of America Cup List is desired for their coming shows. It is a ruling that all Cup Lists, etc., be listed in the Premium Lists of all shows.

Due to a badly infected right hand, the Secretary has been unable to get the 1953-1954 Cup List wins sent out, but they will be mailed shortly, and thank you all for being so very patient.

Mrs. Arvid G. Ohlin
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American Silver Fanciers (CFA) Reports

American Silver Fanciers announces the 1953-54 Cup-List Awards and congratulates the following award winners.

Mrs. Helen Van Zele, Casa Contenta Cattery, Lemon Grove, California, Best Chinchilla Male Champion (breeder-owner) \$5.00, won by CH. Casa Contenta Chipalarray.

Mrs. Naomi Favors, Twilight Cattery, Gas City, Indiana, Best Chinchilla Male (6 wins) Trophy, won by Tpl. Ch. Favors Maxim of Beverly-Serrano. Also, Best Chinchilla Male (seasons most wins) Trophy.

Mrs. Merold Hoag, Normont Cattery, Rockville, Maryland, Best Chinchilla Female (seasons most wins) \$3.00, won by CH. Normont Silver Petal.

Mrs. Margaret Bergamini, SheroMar Cattery, Louisville, Kentucky, Best Shaded Silver Female (novice or open) Trophy, won by CH. Shawnee Dawnalea of SheroMar.

Mrs. Ben Fultz, Columbus, Ohio, Haviru Decendent, Trophy, won equally by Mary Craymaria (Shaded Silver Female) and Haviru Silver Sue (Chinchilla Female).

Mrs. Vernice McCain, Macca Cattery, Columbus, Ohio, Best Smoke (seasons most wins) Trophy, CH. Macca's Smoke Dream (Female).

The above awards were determined by the marked Catalogs and Cup-Lists marked and signed by the officiating judges, from the shows where the Cup-List was offered. Show Secretaries are urged to write in for this Cup-List offer, for the benefit of its members who number a great many throughout the nation, and as an added enticement to all Silver exhibitors.

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Silver Specialty shows sanctioned to date, have been scheduled with Norfolk Cat Fanciers, Inc., October 30 & 31, 1954, Cleveland Persian Society, November 5 & 7, 1954 and Kentucky Club, November 27 & 28, 1954.

All persons wishing to donate offers to the Cup List are asked to send in their pledges as soon as possible.

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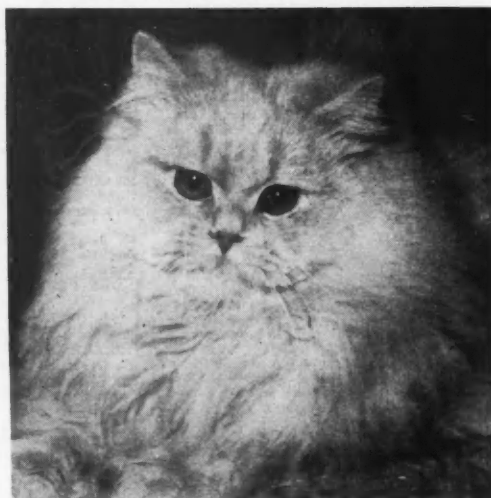
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LONGHAIR DIVISION

Blue Eyed White Male—Ch. Twinkling Star of Evergreen (AM)—(AM-53), Mrs. Earl G. Fleming; Hon. Men.—Gr. Ch. Dixiland Rebel of Les Cygnes (MHM), Mrs. Paul Swan.

Blue Eyed White Female—Dbl. Ch. Longhill's White Jewel of Flagstone (AS), Mrs. Howell J. Mueller; Hon. Men.—Ch. Maybank Angel (AE), Mrs. G. W. Bullock.

Orange Eyed White Male—Ch. Longhill's White Majesty (AS), Mrs. E. T. Salmon; Hon. Men.—Ch. Silver Moth Igloo of Tropic Isle (SHM), Mrs. Harold Rathburn.

Orange Eyed White Female—Dbl. Ch. Milky Way Doll of Silver Moth (AS), Florence Kemmer; Hon. Men.—Ch. Shy's Castle Starette, deceased, (AM)—(AM, AA 53), Mrs. Willard Shy.

Odd Eyed White Male (TIE)—Ch. Charming White Cherub (AS), Mrs. Joan Carter, and Dixiland's Sugarfoot of Mrs. Alexander (AW), Mildred Alexander.

Odd Eyed White Female—Dresden Sal of Bagdad II (AE), Anthony DeSantis; Hon. Men.—Ch. Charming Pixie (AS), Mrs. Joan Carter.

Blue Male—Tpl. Gr. Ch. Moonbeam of Gaylands, Imp. (AS), deceased, (AS-52, AS, AA 53, OS C-Y 53), Miss Verner E. Clum; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Texas Valiant Prince (SHM), Mrs. F. L. Lindsey.

Blue Female—Dbl. Ch. Leilani's Liliuokalani of Fiddler's Green (AW), Jack and Althea Wedel; Hon. Men.—West Allis Annette (AS)—(AM, AA 52), Mrs. Merald Hoag.

Black Male—Ch. Black Knight of Castleton (AM)—(AM-53), Mrs. Robert Horn; Hon. Men.—Ch. Cheviot Hills Brutus' Imp (AW), Virginia Chambers.

Black Female—Shanna Groth's Tpl. Ch. Black Pearl (AW), Mrs. Colleen Aslyn; Hon. Men.—Tpl. Ch. Ayme-Tu-Wynn Beulah of Hobby Hill (AM), Mrs. Marion Ripley.

Red Male—Ru-Ling Rusty (AE), Michael Crane; Hon. Men.—Ch. Siesta Husky (AM), Mrs. T. C. Trent.

Red Female—Longhill's Treasure Chest (AE), Anthony DeSantis; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Shawnee Cardinalette (AW), Mrs. Wm. J. Woods.

Peke Face Red Female—Ch. Silver Moth Solace (AS), Florence Kemmer.

Cream Male—Gr. and Tpl. Ch. Burque Lee's Creme de la Creme (AW), Phyllis S. Whitney; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Gr. and Tpl. Ch. Lee's Hi-Hat Champaign (AM)—(AM, AA 52, 53), Marie Wilson.

Cream Female—Ch. Longhill's Tres Chic of Flagstone (AS)—(AS, AA-53), Mrs. Howell J. Mueller; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Lee's Hi-Hat Cheri of Rosemont (AM), Mrs. Frances Kosierowski.

Silver Male—Gr. and Tpl. Ch. Kerry Lu Ramon of Casa Contenta (AW)—(1954 Cat of the Year), Dr. and Mrs. V. Van Zele; Hon. Men.—Tpl. Ch. Favors Maxim of Beverly-Serrano (AM)—(AM-52), Mrs. Naomi Favors.

Silver Female—La Chatta of Beverly-Serrano (AW), V. Osburn Peterson; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Robelaine's Recherche (AE), Mrs. Marcena Myers.

Shaded Silver Male—Tpl. Ch. Charmente of Purr Mew (AW), Mrs. Robert Hare; Hon. Men.—Gr. Ch. Silver Quasi Fantasia (AM)—(AM-48, 49, 50, 51, 53), Kay M. Thoma.

Shaded Silver Female—Ch. Chewanna's Sweet Sentiment AS)—(AM-50, 51), Mrs. Carl Keller; Hon. Men.—Silvercrest Alcyone of Skyland (AW)—(AW, AA-49, AW-52, 53), Mrs. Gladys Weirich.

Silver Tabby Male—Dbl. Ch. Cobble Hill's Dignity's Son (AE), Mrs. Charles Zeh; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Ariynn Sabro, deceased (AM), Mrs. Arno Beck.

Silver Tabby Female—Tpl. Ch. San-Dee Our Gal Sunday (AW), Miss Sandra L. Flynn; Hon. Men.—Princess Robin of Laguna Honda (WHM), Mrs. Latinga M. Neilsen.

Smoke Male—Dbl. Ch. Kiva Za-Boho (AW), Ada May Miles; Hon. Men.—Beau-Jo of Bur Mur Farm (AM), Mr. and Mrs. E. Burrell Finch.

Smoke Female—Ch. Nani Lei Pahu Ihu Ipo (AW), Mrs. Mildred and Mrs. Julius A. Joseph; Hon. Men.—Bart's Intermexzo (WHM), Dr. and Mrs. Jack Bart.

Red Tabby Male—Kitty Purr's Red Robin (AE), Mrs. Harry Gauntt; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Light Wing Warrior of Smithway (AW), Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith.

Red Tabby Female—Quad Ch. Belmont Bobbette of Smithway (AW)—(AW-53), Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Shamrock's Indian Maid (AS), Mrs. M. Shumate.

Peke Face Red Tabby Male—Tpl. Ch. Elco's Rudolpho (AS)—(AS, AA-51, 52, 53), FarFin Cattery; Hon. Men.—Garvinia's Barbarossa (SHM), Mrs. Paul Miller.

Peke Face Red Tabby Female—Ch. Garvinian's Sissy of Polychrome (AS)—(AS, AA-53), Mrs. Earl Posey; Hon. Men.—Tpl. Ch. FarFin Violetta (SHM), FarFin Cattery.

Brown Tabby Male—Ch. Sunny Land Ninian (AS), Klara Schick; Hon. Men.—Ch. Floridanus Jungle Monarch (SHM), Mrs. Maud Barney.

Brown Tabby Female—Dbl. Ch. Floridanus Jungle Jewel (AS), Mrs. Maud Barney; Hon. Men.—Spero's Tabby of Sunset Garden (AE), Miss Joey Parsell.

Tortoiseshell—Ch. Shawnee Masquerade (AS)—(AS, AA-53), Nikki Horner; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Shawnee's Brocade of Navajo (AW), Mrs. E. B. Myrick.

Blue Cream—Quad. Ch. Lanny Lea's Favorite of Billig (AW)—(AW-53), Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Billig, Jr.; Hon. Men.—Mar Van's Colonial Lady (AS), Gatos Finos Cattery.

FOREIGN SHORTHAIR DIVISION

Seal Point Siamese Male—Ch. Pomonock's Rascal PeiKing II (AE), Mrs. Julia Kohlus; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Sha-Lin's Pra Ping Thai (AW), Miriam Williams.

Seal Point Siamese Female—Gr. Ch. Ammon Ra's Taisho (AM)—(1954 O.S. Cat of the Year), Miss Lillian Magner; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Gr. Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Nee-ang (AS)—(AS-53), Mrs. Richard O'Donovan.

Blue Point Siamese Male—Gr. and Dbl. Ch. Julie's Bandit of Jadawh-Boren (AW), Dr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Boren; Hon. Men.—Gr. Ch. Krampert's Ace of Marham (AM), Mr. Mars Hanson.

Blue Point Siamese Female—Dbl. Ch. Ta-Lee-Ho-Ena (AW), La Vona M. Wright.

Chocolate Point Siamese Male—Ch. Sun Dial's Misti Wun (AW), Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dial; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Koscak's Suki (WHM), Mrs. Helen C. Koscak.

Chocolate Point Siamese Female—Dbl. Ch. Tempurra's Truly Fair (AW)—(AW, AA-53), Master Rick Birkett; Hon. Men.—Tapa-Ling (WHM), Mrs. H. J. Nachtsheim.

Abyssinian Male—Dbl. Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Ricki (AS)—(AS, AA-53), Mrs. Richard O'Donovan; Hon. Men.—Ch. Ta-Lee-Ho's Jaibo (AW), Dr. Fern Smith.

Abyssinian Female—Tpl. Ch. Elrosario's Autumn (AW), Mrs. LaVona Wright; Hon. Men.—Quad Ch. Ambigi WHM)—(AW-51, 52; AW, AA-53), Alice Archibald.

Burmese Male—Ch. Chin-Ki-Wong of Tang Wong (AW), Merv. G. Stevens; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Gerstdale's Mulkray II (WHM), Mrs. Ruth Larson.

Burmese Female—Dbl. Ch. Su Ryan Burma Maharani O'Bog- rae (AW), Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Forest; Hon. Men.—Ch. Dobyns Boki Tyf (AS), Mrs. T. A. Dobyns.

Russian Blue Male—Imp. Ch. Dunloe Smoikie of Folly (AW), Mrs. Philip J. Aaron; Hon. Men.—Dbl. Ch. Lamar's Nicholas of Re-Ru (WHM), Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Forrest.

Russian Blue Female—Dbl. Ch. Lamar's Nicola of HRH Marin (AW), Mrs. Spencer Smiley; Hon. Men.—Lamar's Karen (WHM)—(AW, AA-52, 53), Lt. Comdr. and Mrs. Charles L. Jones.

Orange Eyed White Manx Female—Rosedere Dolly of Chesterfield (AM)—(AM, AA-53), Mrs. Ethel Kingsland; Hon. Men.—Dhu Lleo's Dhoon Snowflake (Imp.) (AS), Mrs. S. L. Lovett.

Blue Manx Male—Tpl. Ch. Sanza Coda's Storm Cloud of Ontario (AW)—(AW, AA-52, 53), Mrs. Virginia Lee Sweet; Hon. Men.—Ch. Rosedere Southern Gentlemen (AS), Pearl Dee Church.

Blue Manx Female—Tannenbaum's Trigger of the Farm (AS), Winifred Porter; Hon. Men.—MarManx Blue Heather (AE), M/Sgt. and Mrs. S. J. Dammling.

Black Manx Male—Tpl. Ch. Akanta's Mr. Quarternote of FarFin (AS), FarFin Catteries; Hon. Men.—Ri-Bo's Dhoos Gaelig (AW), Rita and Bob Wilson.

Black Manx Female—Dbl. Ch. Eilan Vannin's Cornelia of Miamanx (AS), Mrs. Ralph E. Newton; Hon. Men.—Ch. Dhu Lleo Tula of Tyoh (SHM), Mrs. Fred Hoyt.

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INTERIM WINS, 1951-1953:
Best Cat in Show (Patterson)—Pacific National Exhibition, Canada, 1951.

Best Champion, Opp. (Whittier)—Marin County Cat Club, 1952.
Best Reserve Cat, Opp. (Clingan)—Canyon State Cat Club, 1953.
First and Winners: (Golorth) (McGill) (Mabie) (Oken).

RECENT WINS, 1953-1954:

Pacific National Exhibition, Canada (Oken)—Best Reserve Cat; Best Champion; Best Short Hair; Best Siamese.

Marin County Cat Club (Pardee)—Best Reserve Cat, Opp.; Best Siamese Champion, Opp.; Best Short Hair, Opp.; Best Siamese, Opp.

West Shore Cat Club (Mabie)—Best Short Hair; Best Siamese.
California Cat Club: Best Champion in Show—(Easterly); Best Siamese Champion, Opp.—(Kosierowski).

Silvergate Cat Fanciers (Fisher)—Best Siamese, Opp.
Canyon State Cat Club (Adair)—Best Short Hair, Best Siamese; (June Williams)—Best Champion in Show.

Long Beach Cat Fanciers (Oken) (Casassa)—Best Siamese Champion, Opp.

San Francisco Cat Club (McGill)—Best Short Hair, Opp.; Best Siamese Champion.

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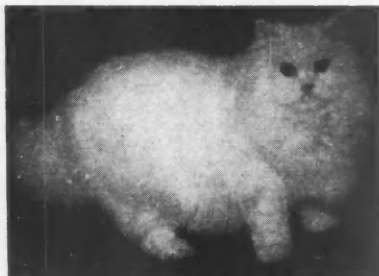
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Best Novice, Best White Cat—All Breed Show: **Cotton State Cat Club, Atlanta, Nov. 28-29, 1953.**

Best Cat Opp. Sex, Reserve Winner to Best Cat—Solid Color Show;
Dixie Cat Club, New Orleans, La., Dec. 5-6, 1953.

Reserve Winner to Best Cat, Best White Cat—All Breed Show;
Best Cat Opp. Sex, Best Ch. Opp. Sex, Best White Cat—Solid Color Show: **Miami Florida Cat Fanciers, Miami, Dec. 12-13, 1953.**

Best White Cat. **Gulf Shores Cat Fanciers, St. Petersburg, Jan. 1954.**

Ch. Silver Moth Solace

Solid Red Peke Face Female

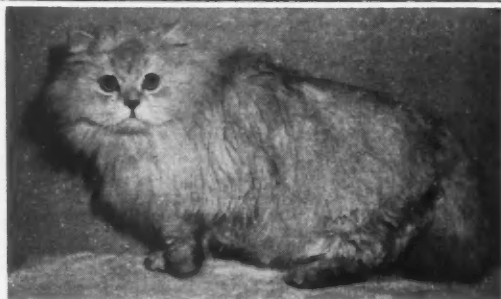
Sire: Dbl. Ch. Duncanshire Courageous Dam: Silver Moth Bonnie
Reserve Winner to Best Cat, Best Novice, Best Red Peke—All Breed;
1-W—Both Shows: **Gulf Shores Cat Fanciers, St. Petersburg, Jan. 9-10, 1954.**

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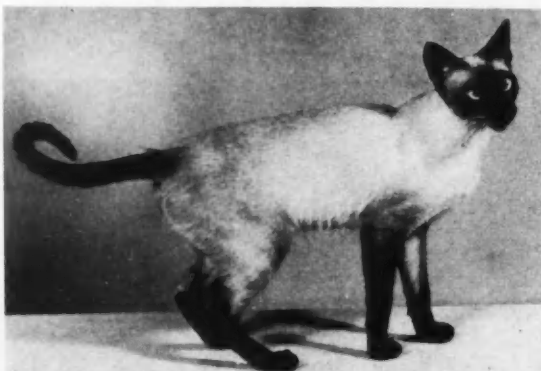
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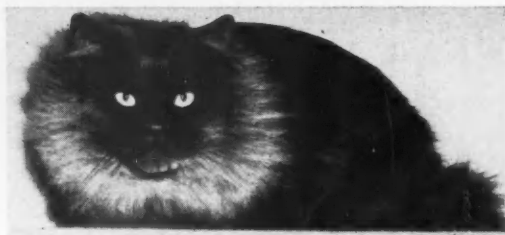
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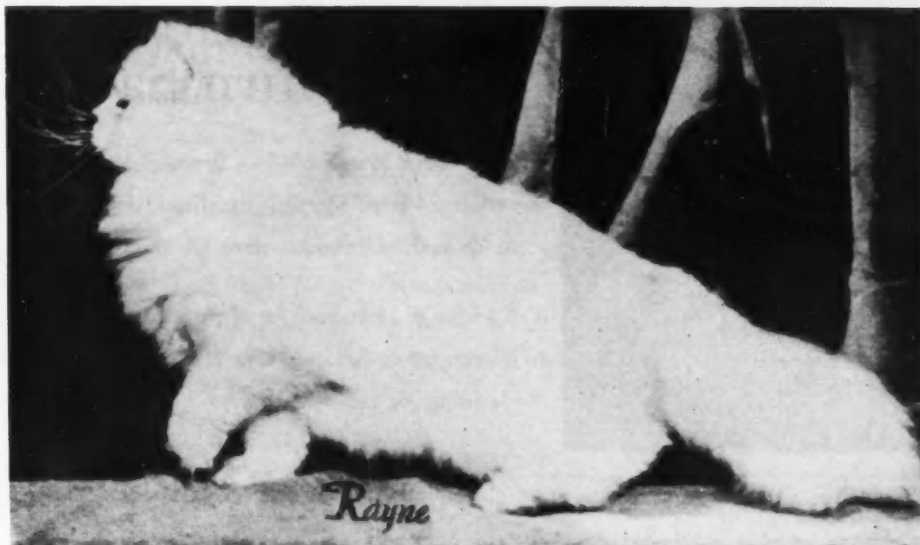
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Feb. 6 and 7, 1954 Phoenix, Arizona ACA

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All Breed Mrs. Jess Adair

Long Hair Specialty Miss June Williams

Feb. 20 and 21, 1954 Napa, Calif. ACA

San Francisco Cat Club

All Breed Miss Floy McGill

Feb. 27 and 28, 1954 Houston, Texas CFA

Houston Cat Club

All Breed Mrs. Ralph Mabie

March 6, 1954 Minneapolis, Minn. ACA

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All Breed Mrs. Gertrude Hamaker

Long Hair Specialty Mr. Herman Zieses

March 7, 1954 Minneapolis, Minn. CFF

Land O' Lakes Cat Club

All Breed Mrs. Jess Adair

March 13 and 14, 1954 New Orleans, La. ACA

Cat Fanciers of New Orleans Inc.

All Breed Miss Doris Hobbs

Long Hair Specialty Mrs. Ella Conroy

Silver Specialty Mrs. Doris O'Connell

We wish to thank all the Judges, and the Cat Clubs, and especially Mr. Ray Smith, Editor of "Cats Magazine" for making the honor of Cat of The Year possible.

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To this 6 weeks old Miss, Ramon is the Cat of her Every Year, --- for he's her Dad.

Continued from "Nikki" through the enterprise of his grandson in the Deep South.



Ch. Goforth's We Wun of Chirn Sa-hai

Born March 1945 — Breeder M. Goforth.

Grandson of Imp. Ch. Oriental Nanki Pooh of Newton and
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*Did you notice the resemblance between
these two females?*

These are enough without going any further to prove good stock, just keeps improving with each generation of thoughtful breeding. Many good breeders who went along ahead of us to light the way had the same idea in mind—"To improve the Siamese type".

We must leave room for our wonderful "Ricki" All American again this year. Love that Ricki boy—has some lovely babies here. Chirn Sa-hai Tee Tough owned by the C. Jensen's had a litter of six, three males—three females.

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Ch. Chirn Sa-hai So-mia owned by Mrs. L. L. Lessard

Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Ying Su

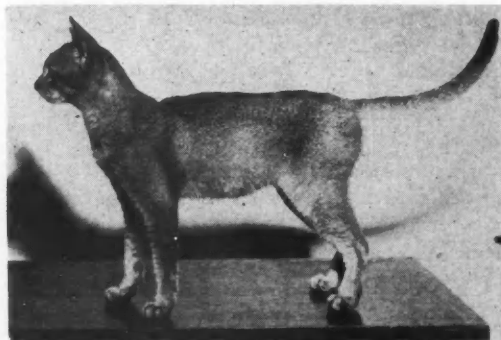
Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Ying Tu

Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Blue Naying

Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Duchess Ying

The above four are Blue Points—all sired by the late Dbl. Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Nahranoda a grandson, most of my Blue Points carry this strain.

Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Ho-Tai, owned by Mrs. Gladise German, also a son of Nahranoda.



Dbl. Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Ricki

All-American 1953 - 1954

Continued from CATS Magazine, April 1947—January 1953

Imp. Ch. Oriental Nanki Pooh of Newton

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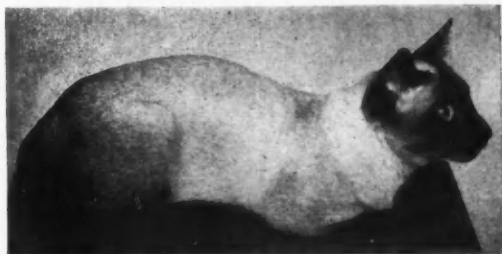
"Nikki" was 16 on August 16, 1954 and here is a partial record
of his descendants who have made Championships
and Gr. Championships.

DAUGHTERS—CHAMPIONS

- Ch. Newton's Anina of Mah Neb, Mrs. Benham.
- Ch. Cyama's Teruko of Newton, Mrs. Bennett.
- Ch. Newton's Jay Tee, Mrs. Cobb.
- Ch. Kiem Wright's Spottis woode Belle, Mrs. Steward.
- Ch. Chindwin's Charm of Millbrook, Mrs. Chapman.

SONS—CHAMPIONS

- Ch. Newton's Tau Ching Wah, Mrs. Hecht.
- Ch. Newton's Winkie Poo of Vee Roi, Mrs. Hecht.
- Ch. Newton's Ping Wei of Millbrook, Mr. Roose.
- Ch. Newton's Tikenia of Siam, Mrs. Chapman.



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*My apologies to cats who I have inadvertently
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Breeder, Everett M. Battey.

Dbl. Grand Champion Chirn Sa-hai Nee-Ang AS 1954
Breeder-Owner, Mrs. Richard O'Donovan.

Grand Champion Cymri's Dee Va. (A-A 1952)
Breeder-Owner, Mrs. Lillian Pedulla.

GRANDDAUGHTERS—CHAMPIONS

- Ch. Chindwin's Lan Tana, E. M. Battey.
- Ch. Vee Roi's Banshee, Mrs. Caldwell.
- Ch. Vee Roi's Zanolbia, Mrs. Caldwell.
- Ch. Fairchild's Fan Tan, Mrs. Fairchild.
- Ch. Yana's Mun E Poo, Mrs. Came.
- Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Nee-Ang, Mrs. O'Donovan.
- Ch. Morningside Ah La We, Mrs. Otten.
- Ch. Sambarina of Siam, Mrs. Chapman.

GRANDSONS—CHAMPIONS

- Ch. Newton's Yan Tana of Chindwin, Mr. Battey.
- Ch. Millbrook's Ping Pong, Mrs. Ball.
- Ch. Kwan Tiki of Siam, Mrs. Wallman.
- Ch. Hann-Tzum of Cattails, Mrs. Brooks.
- Dbl. Ch. Dalai Jakki, Virginia Daly.
- Ch. Pur-Ami Mystere, Mrs. Muckenhaupt. (Choc. Point)
- Ch. Mah Neb's Shanacus of Fa Ying, Mrs. La Marsh.
- Ch. Goforth's We Wun of Chirn Sa-hai, Mrs. O'Donovan.

GREAT GRANDSONS—CHAMPIONS

- Ch. Millbrook's Moonshoe of Siam, Mrs. Chapman.
- Ch. Rascal Pei King, Mrs. Kohlus.
- Dbl. Ch. Sha Lin's Pra Ping Thai, Mrs. Williams.
- Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Mani.
- Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Mani, Mrs. Strange.
- Ch. Chirn Sa-hai Zombie, AS 1954, Mrs. O'Donovan.

GREAT GRANDDAUGHTERS—CHAMPIONS

- Dbl. Ch. Fa Ying's How Come, Mrs. La Marsh.
- Ch. Kiem Wright's El Cajon Belle, Mrs. Lenz.
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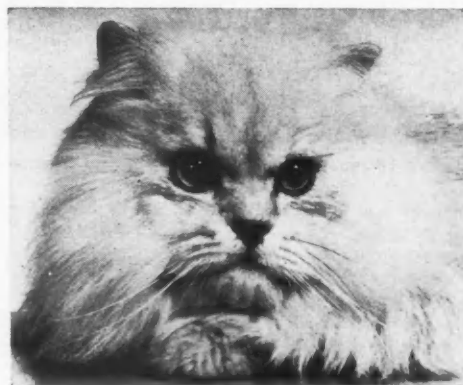
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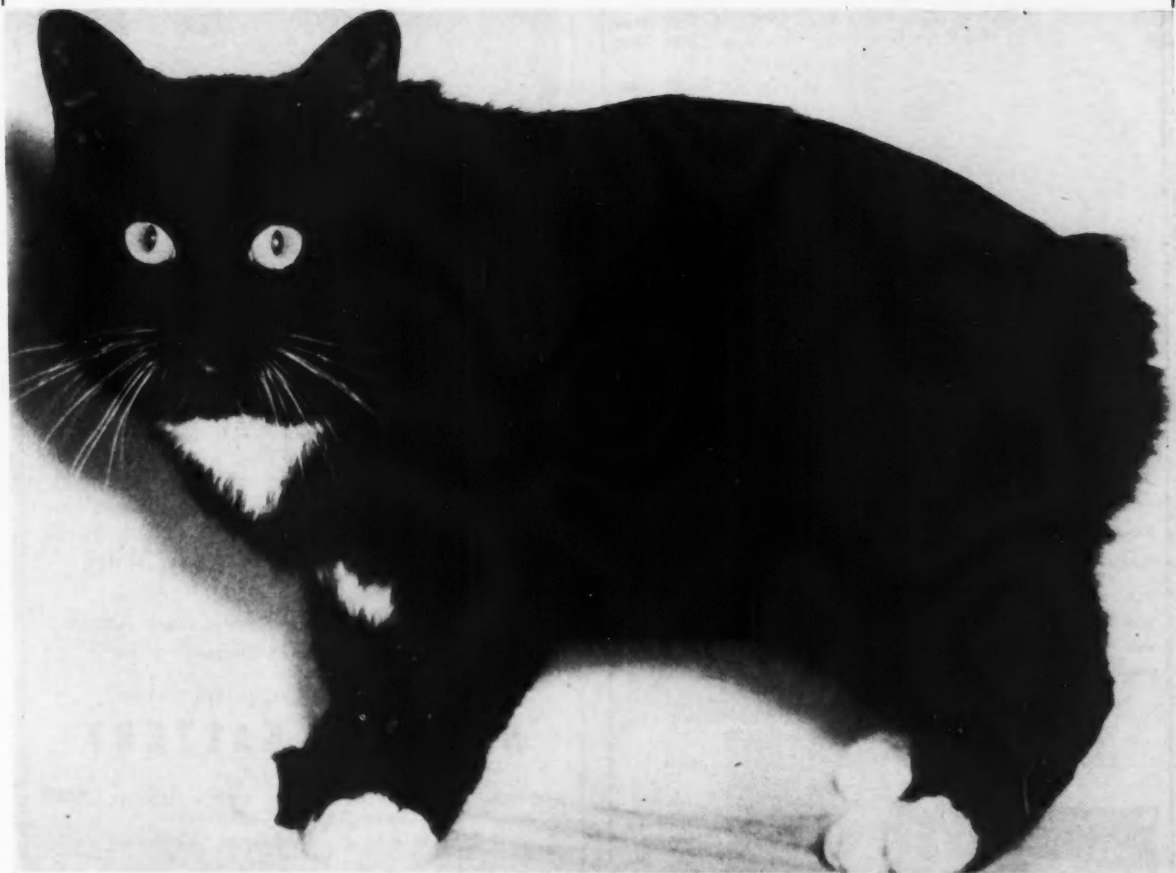
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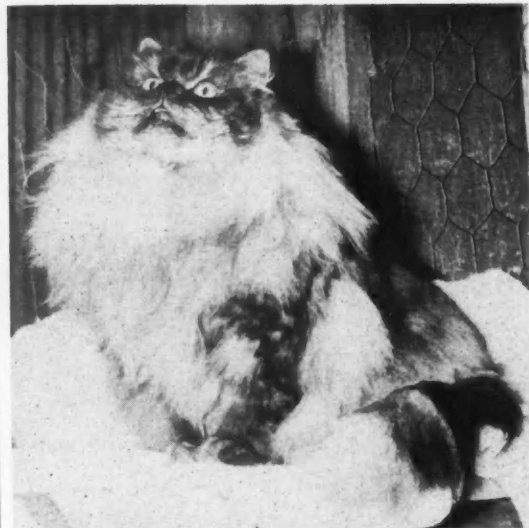
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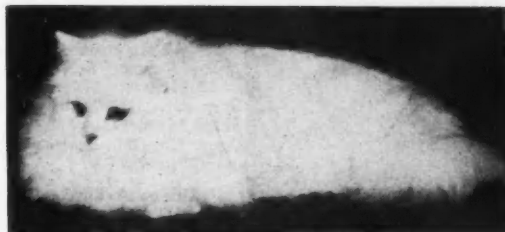
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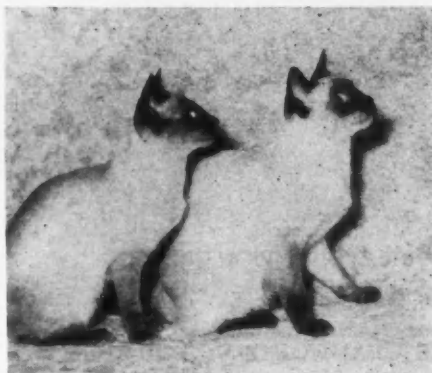
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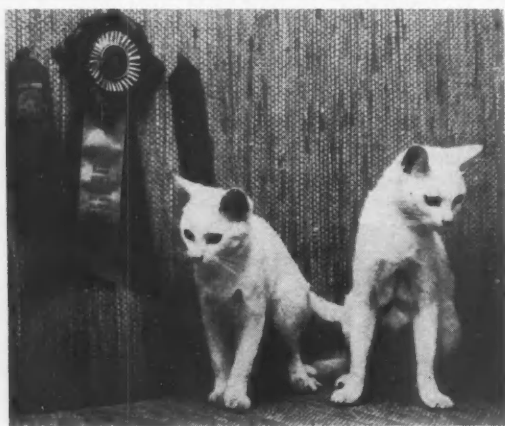


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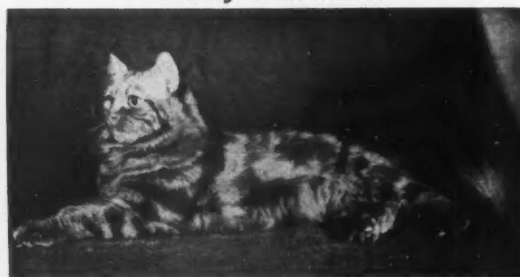
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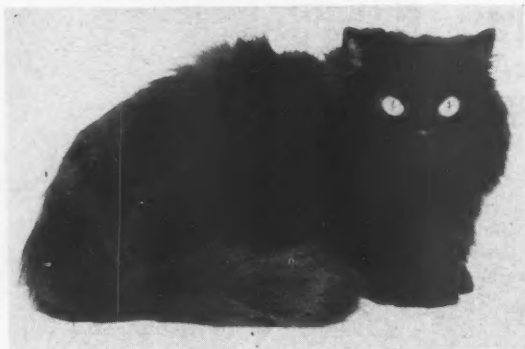
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1954 Wins

St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 6-7:
All Breed, Miss Doris Hobbs, Judge—Best Novice, Second Best Cat, BOC, 1st and Winners, Best White Cat.
Solid Color, Mrs. L. Feidler, Judge—Best Novice, Best Cat O.S., BOC, 1st and Winners, Best White Cat.

San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 20-21:
Solid Color, Mrs. C. C. Strange, Judge—BEST CAT, BOC, 1st and Winners, Best White Cat.

Houston, Texas, Feb. 27-28:
All Breed, Mrs. Mabie, Judge—Reserve Winners, Reserve BOX, Solid Color, Mrs. Keller, Judge—1-W, Box, Reserve BOC.

New Orleans, La., March 13-14:
All Breed, Doris Hobbs, Judge—Best Open, Best White, 1-W BOC, Longhair Specialty, Mrs. Ella Conroy, Judge—Best Solid Color Cat, Best White Cat, BOC, 1st and Winners.
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Siamese Cat Breeders Guild Short Hair Specialty

Judge Mrs. Doris O'Connell

1st & Winners	Best Siamese
Best Novice	Best Cat
Best Seal Point	Best Foreign Short Hair
All-Breed, Judge H. B. Zieses	
Best Opp. Sex Novice	Best S.P. Siamese
Best Siamese	Best For. Short Hair

Atlantic Cat Club, New York City, Jan. 8-9, 1954

All-Breed, Judge Mrs. Ella Conroy

Best Opp. Sex Siamese	Best Opp. Sex. For. Short Hair
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Siamese Cat Breeders Guild Specialty, Jan. 8-9, 1954

Judge Mrs. Lillian Pedulla

Best Siamese	Best Cat
Best Seal Point Siamese	Best Champion (Trophy)

CFA Empire Cat Club, New York City, Feb. 4-5, 1954

National Siamese Specialty, Judge Evans Sawyer

First & Winners, Open Class	Best Seal Point Opp. Sex
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All-Breed, Judge Mrs. Lester O'Neill

First & Winners, Open Class

Lake Erie Cat Club, Cleveland, Feb. 27-28, 1954

All-Breed, Judge Mrs. Silas Andrews

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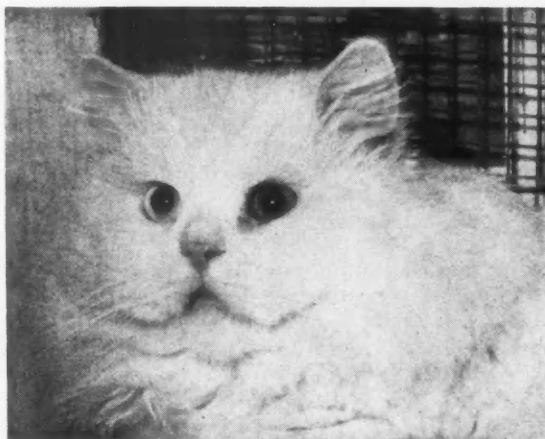
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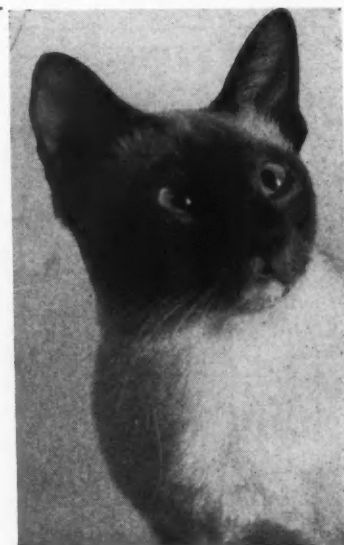
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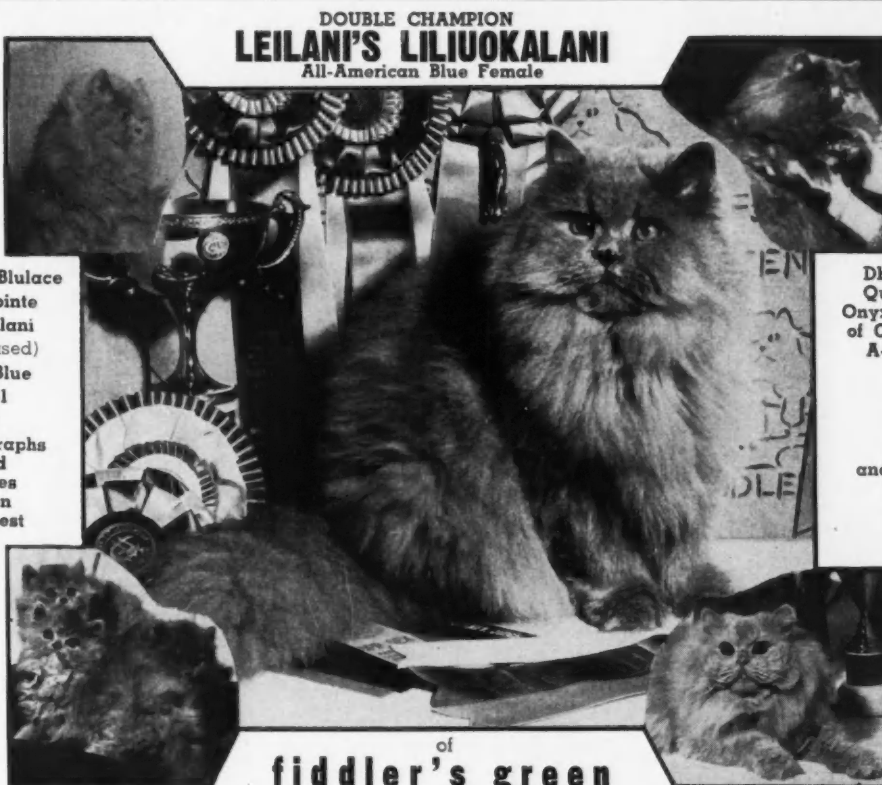
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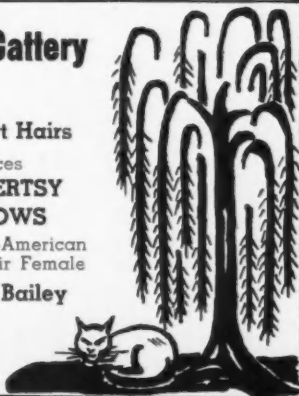
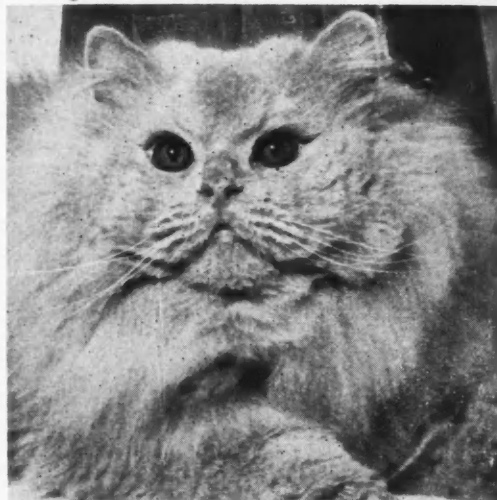
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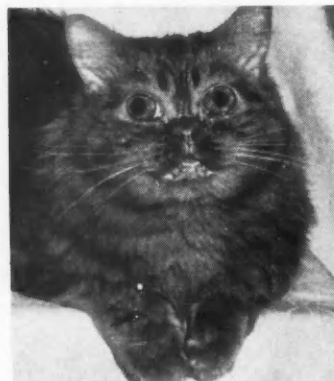
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 Silver Tabby Manx Male—Ch. Senza Coda's Silver Paws (AW), Mrs. Virginia Lee Sweem.
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 Silver Blue Manx Female—Dbl. Ch. Mombu (AW), Alice M. Clark.
 Red Tabby Manx Male—Dbl. Ch. Floridanus Tangelo (AS)—(AS, AA-52, 53), Maud Barney; Hon. Men.—Ch. Veg Veen (SHM), Mrs. J. D. Elliott.
 Red Tabby Manx Female—Tpl. Ch. Mani Lei Red Lady Moire (AW), Mrs. Mildred and Mr. Julius A. Joseph.
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 Blue Cream Manx—Ba Lo's Queen Desira, Mrs. R. W. Boehlow, (AM)—(AM-47; AM, AA-48, 53).

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- Blue Eved White Male—Ch. Rockridge White Challenger (AE), Mrs. William E. Cottle.
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 Orange Eyed White Male—Ch. Silver Quest Vagabond King (AM), Kay M. Thoma; Hon. Men.—Ch. Honey Boy of Rockville (AS), Mr. and Mrs. John Donahae.
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ALL BREED

Judge—Mrs. Dorothy Keller

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Poinciana Short Hair Club:

—Judge—Mrs. Laura Graham

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16th ANNUAL ALL BREED SHOW

C.F.A. RULES

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DECEMBER 1st and 2nd, 1954

Judges for the All Breed Show will be

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except Siamese

Dr. Evans Sawyer—Siamese

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The Solid Color of the East Specialty

The Silver Cat Club of the West Specialty

The Eastern Tabby and Tortie Specialty

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And, MR. BRIAN STERLING-WEBB, Treasurer of the Siamese Cat Club (England) who will judge

The National Siamese Cat Club Specialty

Premium List Closes Sept. 18th. Dead line for advertising copy and entries (which will be limited), November 5th, or before if the limit has been reached.

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Entries Close October 12

Individual Entry Blanks

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C.F.A.

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December 4-5, 1954

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DES MOINES, IOWA

All Breed Judge: Mrs. Frances Kosierowski
Twin City Solid Color and Great Lakes Short Hair
Judge: Mr. Robert E. Martin

Premium List closes October 10th.

Entries close November 10th.

ENTRIES AND PREMIUMS WELCOME

For information and entry blanks write

Show Secretary, Mrs. John Bloem

4039 East 38th St.

Des Moines, Iowa

Cats Show Calendar

This Calendar will be kept up to date and will be published every month throughout the Cat Show Season. Further information will be found in the individual club ads in this issue and subsequent issues of CATS.

September

18-19—Minneapolis, Minn.—Twin City Cat Fanciers, Inc. (CFA). All Breed (Anthony DeSantis); Twin City Solid Color Specialty, Minnesota Siamese Specialty and Eastern Tabby & Tortie Specialty (Mrs. Lester O'Neill).

25—Media, Pa.—Eastern Cat Fanciers (ACA). All Breed (Dr. Frances McCracken); Longhair Specialty (Mrs. Betty Groell); Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. Ruth McNaughtan).

25-26—Springfield, Connecticut—Springfield Cat Fanciers Club (CFF). All Breed (Doris Hobbs); Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. Ellen Richmond).

October

3—Miami, Fla.—Poinciana Shorthair Club (CFA). Shorthair Specialty (Dr. C. Evans Sawyer).

9-10—Milwaukee, Wisc.—Milwaukee Cat Club, Inc. (CFA). All Breed (Mrs. J. H. Revington); Central States Solid Color Specialty and Great Lakes Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. L. D. Sample).

15-16—

17—New Orleans, La.—Cat Fanciers of New Orleans, Inc. (ACA). All Breed (Mrs. Charles Kleim-Alternate, Mrs. Jesse Adair); Longhair Specialty and Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. T. J. McNaughtan).

16-17—Eureka, Calif.—Redwood Cat Fanciers (CFA). All Breed, Short Hair Society Specialty and Longhair Specialty (Judges to be announced).

16-17—Rochester, N. Y.—Genesee Cat Fanciers Club, Inc. (CFA). All Breed (Anthony DeSantis); International Solid Color Specialty and Great Lakes Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. Walter Limpert).

23-24—Chicago, Ill.—North Short Cat Club (CFA). All Breed (Mrs. Frances Kosierowski); Solid Color and Shorthair Specialties (Mrs. Dorothy Keller).

23-24—Los Angeles, Calif.—Pacific Ct Fanciers (CFF). All Breed (Miss Ruth Fisher); Longhair Specialty (John Konkel); Shorthair Specialty (Charles Williams).

27-28—Philadelphia, Pa.—Penn State Cat Club (CFF). All Breed (Mrs. I. J. Small); Domestic and Foreign Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. Doris O'Connell); National Tabby & Tortie Specialty (Mrs. Silas Andrews); CFF Solid Color Specialty (Mrs. Helen Hildebrand).

30-31—Fort Monroe, Va.—Norfolk Cat Fanciers, Inc. (CFA). All Breed (Mr. Anthony DeSantis); National Siamese Specialty (Sven S. Nelson); Solid Color Club of the South Specialty, Eastern Tabby & Tortie Specialty, and American Silver Fanciers Specialty (Mrs. Lawrence Pelton).

30-31—San Rafael, Calif.—Marin County Cat Club (ACA). All Breed (Mrs. Edith Schulte); Longhair Specialty (Mrs. Rosmund Flynn); Shorthair Specialty (Howard Casassa).

30-31—Seattle, Washington—Seattle Cat Club (ACA). Shows and judges to be announced.

November

6-7—San Diego, Calif.—Silvergate Cat Club (ACA). All Breed; Specialties. (Type and Judges to be announced).

6-7—Buffalo, N. Y.—Queen City Cat Club Inc. (ACA).

6-7—Cleveland, Ohio—Cleveland Persian Society (CFA). All Breed (Anthony DeSantis); Windsor Solid Color Specialty, Great Lakes Shorthair Specialty and American Silver Specialty (Mrs. Frances Kosierowski).

7—St. Petersburg, Fla.—Gulfshore Cat Fanciers (CFA). All Breed (Mrs. Dorothy Keller); Solid Color Club of the South Specialty and Tabby & Tortie Specialty (Mrs. Louise Heron); Poinciana Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. Laura Graham).

12-13—Boston, Mass.—Boston Cat Club, Inc. (CFA)—All Breed (Miss Kay Thoma); New England Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. Kathleen Williams); Solid Color Club of the East (Mr. Robert E. Martin).

13-14—Columbus, Ohio—Ohio State Persian Club, Inc. (CFA). All Breed (Mrs. John Hunter); American Tabby & Tortie Specialty (Mrs. Carl Johnson).

13-14—Denver, Colorado—Colorado Cat Fanciers, Inc. (CFA). All Breed (Mrs. Frances Kosierowski); Siamese Cat Club Specialty (Mrs. R. G. Wolfgang).

13-14—Spokane, Wash.—Inland Empire Cat Club (ACA). All Breed; Specialties. (Type and Judges to be announced).

13-14—Milwaukee, Wisc.—Midwest Feline Fanciers (CFF). All Breed (Miss Doris Hobbs); Longhair Specialty and Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. James Small).

20-21—Long Beach, Calif.—Long Beach Cat Fanciers (ACA). All Breed Specialties. (Type and Judges to be announced).

20-21—Atlanta, Georgia—Cotton States Cat Club (CFA). All Breed (Mrs. Walter Limpert); Solid Color of the South Specialty (Mrs. Frances Herma).

27-28—Louisville, Ky.—Kentucky Cat Club (CFA). All Breed (Miss Kay Thoma); Silver, Tabby & Tortie, and Solid Color Specialties (Mrs. Dorothy C. Hunt).

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Judge: Robert Martin

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Great Lakes Short Hair Club

Judge: Robert Martin

ENTRY BLANKS SENT ON REQUEST

Show Secretary: MRS. DAVID KENNEDY

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Entries close November 10, 1954

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NOVEMBER 13-14, 1954

Shirley Savoy Hotel
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All Breed Championship Show

Judge: Mrs. Frances Kosierowski

The Siamese Cat Club Siamese Specialty

Judge: Mrs. R. G. Wolfgang

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Entries Close October 13

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Judge—Mr. Sven S. Nelson

Solid Color Club of the South — Eastern Tabby & Tortie Society — American Silver Fanciers

Judge—Mrs. Lawrence Pelton of Specialties

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Fourth Annual Championship CAT SHOW

OCTOBER 30 and 31, 1954

Kenilworth Park, Petaluma, Calif.

All Breed—Judge: Mrs. Edith Schulte, Los Angeles, Calif.

Long Hair Specialty—Judge: Mrs. Rosamund Flynn

Short Hair Specialty—Judge: Mr. Howard Casassa

ENTRIES CLOSE OCTOBER 11, 1954

For Information Write

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Longhair Specialty and Shorthair Specialty

Judge: Mrs. T. J. McNaughtan

Show Manager — Miss Winifred Porter

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Short Hair & Solid Color—Mrs. Frances Herms

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All Breed — Judge Kay Thoma
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Entry Blanks on Request

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ENTRIES CLOSE OCTOBER 27, 1954

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September 25-26, 1954

29th All Breed Show

Judge—Miss Doris Hobbs

Domestic and Foreign Shorthair Specialty

Judge—Mrs. Ellen Richmond

ENTRIES CLOSE SEPTEMBER 4th

Show Manager, MRS. BERTHA COSTELLO

18 Ormond St., Springfield, Mass.

Cats Show Calendar

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27-28—Sacramento, Calif.—Sacramento Valley Cat Fanciers (CFA). All Breed (Mrs. C. F. Rotter); Specialties and Specialty Judges to be announced.

December

- 1-2—Newark, N. J.—Garden State Cat Club of New Jersey, Inc. (CFA). All Breed (Judge of All Longhairs and Shorthairs except Siamese—Mrs. Mary Carroll; Siamese Judge Dr. C. Evans Sawyer; Referee Judge if required—Miss Kathleen Yorko); Solid Color Club of the East Specialty, Silver Cat Club of the West Specialty and Eastern Tabbie and Tortie Specialty (Miss Kathleen Yorko); National Siamese Cat Club Specialty (Mr. Brian Sterling Webb).
- 4-5—New Orleans, La.—Dixie Cat Club (CFA). All Breed (Anthony DeSantis); West Texas Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. Dorothy Keller).
- 4-5—Des Moines, Iowa—Hawkeye State Cat Club (CFA). All Breed (Mrs. Frances Kosierowski); Twin City Solid Color Specialty and Great Lakes Shorthair Specialty (Mr. Robert E. Martin).
- 4-5—Chico, Calif.—Tri-County Cat Club (ACA).
- 11-12—Portland, Oregon—Rose City Cat Club, Inc. (ACA). All Breed (Mrs. Ruth Fisher); Longhair Specialty and Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. Ruth Lents).
- 11-12—Cincinnati, Ohio—Cincinnati Cat Club, Inc. (CFA)—All Breed (Mrs. Carroll); Windsor Solid Color Specialty and Great Lakes Shorthair Specialty (Robert E. Martin).

January

- 7-8—New York, N. Y.—Atlantic Cat Club (CFF). All Breed (Mr. H. B. Zieses); All Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. Doris O'Connell); Silver Specialty (Mrs. Christine Hartman). No Kittens.
- 8-9—North Hollywood, Calif.—San Fernando Valley Cat Club (ACA). All Breed (Miss Doris Hobbs); Longhair Specialty (Miss Floy McGill); Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. Dorothy Richard).
- 22-23—Buffalo, N. Y.—Buffalo Cat Fanciers, Inc. (CFA). All Breed (Mrs. Carroll); International Solid Color Specialty and Great Lakes Shorthair Specialty (Miss Kay Thoma).
- 29-30—Kansas City, Mo.—Mo-Kan Cat Club (CFA). All Breed (Mrs. Hunter); Shorthair Specialty and Solid Color Specialty (Mrs. Frances Horms).
- 29-30—San Diego, Calif.—San Diego Cat Fanciers, Inc. (CFA). All Breed (Anthony DeSantis); Specialties and Specialty Judges to be announced.

February

- 5—Minneapolis, Minn.—Minneapolis Persian Cat Club (ACA). All Breed (Mrs. A. O. Wagoner); Longhair Specialty and Shorthair Specialty (Mrs. S. G. Miles).
- 6—Minneapolis, Minn.—Land O'Lakes Cat Club (CFF). All Breed (Mrs. J. J. Small); Specialties (Mrs. Ella Conroy).
- 5-6—St. Petersburg, Fla.—Sunshine City Cat Club of Florida (ACA). All Breed (Mrs. Gertrude Hamaker); Longhair Specialty and Shorthair Specialty (Mr. Dimas Bianco).
- 5-6—Phoenix, Arizona—Canyon State Cat Club (ACA).
- 5-6—Dallas, Texas—North Texas Cat Club (CFA). All Breed and Specialties (Types to be announced). Judges: Mrs. Walter Limpert, Mrs. Richard O'Donovan, and Mrs. R. G. Wolgang.
- 19-20—San Francisco, Calif.—San Francisco Cat Club (ACA).
- 19-20—Houston, Texas—Houston Cat Club (CFA). All Breed (Mrs. Rotter); Specialties and Specialty Judges to be announced.

Boston Cat Club, Inc.

C.F.A. RULES

49th Championship All Breed Show and Two Specialties

November 12 and 13, 1954

HORTICULTURAL HALL BOSTON, MASS.

Boston Cat Club, Inc.—All Breed Show
Judge: Miss Kay Thoma

Solid Color Club of the East Specialty Show
Judge: Mr. Robert E. Martin

Short Hair Club of New England Specialty Show
Judge: Mrs. Kathleen Williams (England)

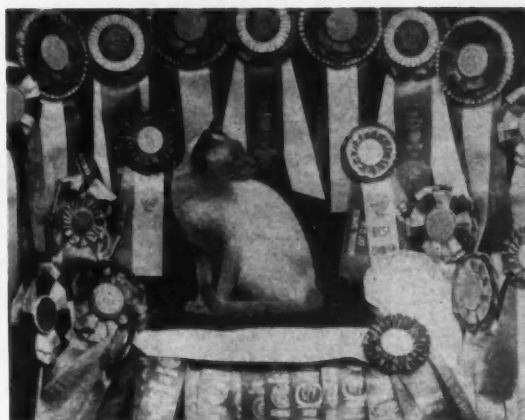
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ENTRIES CLOSE OCTOBER 20, 1954

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VANAR Reports



TWELVE SIAMESE IN TOP WINS 1953-54 SHOW SEASON

We Are Happiest About Our Four Sire and Dam Awards.

Ch. Coventry's Bambey-Ling of Vanar ("Junior"), and Double Champion Vanar's Ptola (Above Pictured), were acclaimed Best Blue Point Siamese Sire, and Best Blue Point Siamese Dam of the Year by Great Lakes Short Hair Club. These awards are based on the season's winnings of their offspring. All five children of the April 14, 1953 litter of this pair came in top wins in '53 and '54.

Sylvan Blue Venus of Vanar

was 3rd Best B.P. Dam, due to the winnings of her sons Bambison, who completed championship in 3 days and went on to further wins; and Vili who was a novice winner. Both were sired by "Junior."

Normont Meling of Vanar

was 4th place Seal Point Dam, due to the wins of her daughter Dbl. Ch. Vanar's Ptola.

The C.F.A. Award of Opposite Novice of the year

also pleases us, since this award cannot be won by one good cat alone, but was won by eight novices (on their 1st adult wins). These were Vanar's Ptola, Ptaine, Tarah of Wolfgang, Bambison, Vili, Yolande, Pee-Chook (S.P.) and Yo-Ming (S.P.) (Tanabe and Teika made open wins when inadvertently entered in open at their 1st show.)

We Would Like to Point Out

That our 5 B.P. champions (Ptola, "Junior," Bambison, Lady Geanne, and Sir Echo), as well as Seal-Bambey Chai and Ptaine vied with one another for top Siamese honors, making it difficult to accumulate all **Cattery Points** on one or two cats only, for Sectional and All-American Awards. Even so, Double Champion Vanar's Ptola did make **All-Southern, '54** and Ch. Coventry's Bambey Ling of Vanar ("Junior") is **All-Southern Honorable Mention**; Ptola having completed her second championship, and 8½ Gr. Ch. Points, and "Junior", 8 Gr. Ch. pts, plus other top wins for both.

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Mrs. Muriel Koenig, Chicago, (known to many of you as Muriel Morton), writes me of an interesting thing that has happened to 'Tangy' a large two year old black and white male, ancestry undetermined. It seems that Tangy managed to lose himself in the catacombs of the Jawhawk Junior Motel air-conditioning system. Pure and simple it was curiosity that got Tangy in trouble. The air duct in the room where he was spending the night with his owner, Gladys Hollingsworth of Chicago, was just too interesting for Tangy to ignore. A sound blow from Tangy's big paw caused the grill which covered the duct's opening to fall off. In went Tangy and sooooo---it took several hours, two Humane Shelter men as well as an air-conditioning engineer to free the loudly unhappy Tangy. His tearfully joyful owner greeted Tangy with loving arms—gladly forgiving him for the trouble he caused. The Motel guests seemed equally glad that the cat was going to get a nice, quiet night's sleep.

CAT TAILS

Thomas Garner Sr., and Thomas Garner, Jr., who run the Humane Shelter, located the cat in the maze of ducts, they were assisted by Hugh Applegate, Air Conditioning Inc., in taking the ducts apart to free Tangy. 'This is nothing,' Garner Sr., said, 'The calls we really hate to get are from people with skunks in their homes'. Muriel adds, 'Tangy has a Trust Fund of \$1000.00 to care for him if anything should happen to his owners—wish I could place all the waif-babies in homes like that!' What a grand person Muriel Koenig really is, and a real Crusader for all cat-children.

Johnnie MacVeigh, Vici, Oklahoma, writes me he is the proud owner of The White Phantom, he calls her 'Phan' for everyday use. Phan is a very understanding cat-lady she likes to sit on top of the ice-box, much to mother's disgust. Phan has figured out that a lot of good things come out of the ice-box. When the door is opened she will reach down and tap the person opening the door, she does not exactly talk but she does make herself understood in uncertain manner.

John Cricket is a Silver Persian and belongs to Miss Mary Ralston in Martin's Ferry, Ohio. Mary is a school teacher and drives several miles each day to her school when school is in session. On Fridays Miss Ralston allows John Cricket to go to school with her; he is the pet of the third grade. One day a committee of three children waited until after school to ask the teacher if they could sketch John Cricket in their art class. Miss Ralston agree. The next Friday when the cat again came to school, there were twenty two pictures of him tacked above the teacher's desk and the art students each had turned in a beautiful sketch—some of the pictures were colored. You could easily tell each drawing was a cat—just what kind of a cat was open to debate. John Cricket has been elected as mascot of the third grade.

Liberache is a Frost Point Siamese, and does he love music. His mistress, Adele Sommersfield of Boston, is quite a musician. When she is playing, he will come in and sit on the piano a bit to her left—one day there were flowers placed in this position and Liberache went into a perfect rage, knocked the flowers over then turned and kicked the vase off the piano. Since then his particular place on the piano is kept free for himself. Miss Summersfield teaches music but the handsome Frost Point never comes near the piano when lessons are in session.

Ely Whitcomb, Houston, Texas, has a Silver Tabby male named General Sam. Ely had him in a baby parade this spring. When questioned as to Sammy being a baby, Ely replied 'Well, he is my baby isn't he?' Ely is now trying to promote a kitten-parade, he has already interviewed the Mayor and two of the Councilmen, (all three are relatives and have assured him of their wholehearted support).

Sugar Boy is ebony black. He belongs to Ray Wallace from Jefferson-town, Kentucky. He is usually a very friendly fellow, but let anyone use loud, harsh words, Sugar Boy will go around yawling like a banshee. If there is a fight---he wants to be in it.

Kevin Adams is a shut-in boy out in Willow City, North Dakota, now there are only about five hundred population in this small town. Kevin needed a wheel chair very badly also he wanted a Persian kitten, no one in his locality had ever seen a Persian kitten. Money was provided to buy the chair for him, Kevin wept bitterly, he wanted a kitten more than he wanted the chair. Some kind friends heard of this and told some of their friends who were breeders of Persians---well it ended up by Kevin having his chair---and the choice of a Blue, Black and Red kitten. The Black and Red he wanted most, finally he begged his mother to send the chair back and let him have TWO kittens. Needless to say---he kept the chair---and the two kittens were given to him. Who dares to say The Fancy is not composed of many wonderful people--?

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Mews and Views from the West

Thanks to the kind invitation of Joan Arnold, (Casa Cielo) my week end of July 4th was not as lonely as it could have been. I flew down to San Diego and was met at the airport by Joan in her brand new Robin Egg blue Chevrolet, whisked out to Casa Cielo and from Friday to Sunday night enjoyed every moment of it.

My beloved husband and I were to have been week end guests of Joan May 22nd, and after seeing her lovely home and gardens and cattery, only wish he could have been spared to have shared this pleasure with me.

I know now Cats do remember their *Friends*. Casa Contenta Don Topaz, the lovely blue persian neuter with *Topaz* eyes, owned by Joan, hardly left my side while I was there. His usual sleeping place in a window in his mistress' bedroom was deserted for my bed in the downstairs den-guest room. He carried his play toys in there to show me too - being the perfect host during my stay.

I do like the arrangement of the cattery at Casa Cielo. There are large airy runs, and such comfortable warm, cozy sleeping quarters. There I again renewed my acquaintance with a favorite of mine since a kitten, Dbl Ch. Azulita Patrio of Casa Cielo, better known as *Pale Face*. His playmate was a three months old adorable orange-eyed white male (recently acquired from the Go-forth cattery) named *Joey*.

While sitting in Joan's patio and watching the cats at play and viewing their immaculate quarters, I could not help but feel how lucky it would be if all cats could live like this.

At Casa Contenta, a few doors away, I was again made aware that Cats remember. Gr. and Tpl. Ch. *Kerry Lu Ramon* of Casa Contenta, bred by Mrs. Lowell Benfer, and owned by Helen Van Zele - and now *Cat of the Year*, told me in demonstrative purrs, kisses and hugs that he had not forgotten me. I was *Allowed* to view Ramon's first litter of silvers, from Casa Contenta Ma Petite Cherie; and Helen and I could hardly leave them but we did for some tasty meals of Helen's, and as I write this only wish from Helen was around the corner from me to drop in for a chat, and something "out of this world" from her kitchen. Much in evidence was the Master of Casa Contenta, Van, admiring and caring for the cats, and proudly displaying *Varmint* - the little black and white kit he rescued at *Las Vegas*, Nevada. I enjoyed my visit so much my ears are flapping in the breeze for another invitation.

Correction - My last column gave Ch. Velvet Mask Dauntless (Imp), B. P. Siamese as sire of Blue Point kits from Hollywood's Krysette - tain't so. Gr. Ch. Krampert's Ace, now owned by Mars Hanson, is the PAW.

February 5-6 is the date for the *Double* show this year at Minneapolis. The ACA and CFF clubs there found their first attempt at putting on a double-header in two days such a success they are doing it again. The ACA All Breed show will be judged by Mrs. A. O. Wagoner of Minneapolis, and the ACA specialties will be judged by ye

scribe. The next day (or vice versa) the CFF All Breed show will be judged by Mrs. J. J. Small, and the CFF specialties by Mrs. Ella Conroy, so make a date and don't be late for this event.

A note from Phyllis Whitney of San Anselmo, California, stating the kitten show of the Marin County Cat Club held July 3-4 was a wonderful show! The beautiful setting for this was surrounded on three sides with redwoods, and this year their background was a Japanese Tea Garden (courtesy of the Hill Valley Light Opera Company) Helen McManus from Seattle (*Royal Cattery*) attended bringing six blue persian kittens and was awarded Best Opp. blue persian kitten with *Royal's Blue Temptress*, bred by Mrs. McManus. (Sire Wayside's Fidelity x Wayside's Adame)

Best kitten in show went to Burque Lee's Lorne, blue persian male, bred and owned by Mrs. Whitney. This kit was sired by Gr. & Tpl. Ch. Burque Lee's *Creme de le Creme* x *Lorelei* of Burque Lee. Phyllis advises she is renaming ihm "Little Duke". Best Opp. kit went to Fiddler's Green Soubrette, blue cream of Jack and Althea Wedel.

Visitors to this kitten show were Miss Floy McGill, President of ACA, Mrs. Tillie Oken, 1st Vice President of ACA from Seattle - and Doris O'Connell, CFF judge who was visiting from the East.


An interesting kit at Kiva too - My lovely Abyssinian, Ta-Lee-Ho's Zara of Kiva, without my consent and knowledge was wedded to Kiva Chief Chewanakee (who is the progeny of a Black Persian female and Silver Persian male.) Chief is a very dark shaded Silver, bordering on the Masked Silver, with lovely Persian type. The one kit from this accidental mating is as you would suspect *Irresistible*. The short hair predominates, as well as the type, the coloring being a contrast like a silver. What do we have a new breed--- such a *Purr-aby*?

Mr. Harold Rathburn of Sarasota, Florida (Tropic Isle Cattery) writes her beautiful Cream male Persian Ch. Silver Moth Prince Necho, is now with his new owner Mrs. Flora Barnhill of Sarasota and Fort Myers, Florida. Welcome to the Cat Fancy, Mrs. Barnhill, and good luck with your Cream champion. Mrs. Rathburn also states Mrs. F. Plaisance of New Orleans has recently acquired a Cream kit from Necho x Silver Moth Hope. Mrs. Plaisance saw this pair in the New Orleans show and wanted a kit from them - so Hope accommodated the new owner of this kit by having it on her birthday April 13th.

I have heard of two unusual experiences recently. A female was spayed by the owner's Vet, while the cat was in season, and in each case 63 days later a kit arrived. If it is your plan to have your pet spayed be sure to see that she does not have an opportunity to run loose while in season, see her through the period she is in season, and then have her spayed. I didn't realize this could happen but it did.

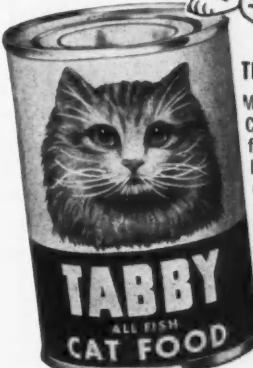
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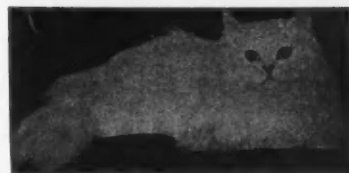
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home, and were honored to have Miss Floy McGill as our guest, and I was pleased to have Floy spend the week end with me. She has such a store of knowledge about cats that it seemed the hours went too fast to ever terminate all our cat talk. Remember the dates for this show to be held in North Hollywood, California, January 8-9.

Mrs. Irene Powell, Chatami Cattery, writes of a Siamese breeder, Mrs. H. A. Miller of Kellogg, Idaho, who has been importing some very fine cats from England and Australia, for the purpose of giving other breeders in the Northwest particularly, the opportunity to buy and breed into some of the world's finest bloodlines. Mrs. Miller has worked hard to buy these cats and done so quietly and sincerely, and much good luck to her.

Her imports are: 1. Bluemead Astral Star (S. P. male) bred by Miss G. M. Williams of N. S. W. Australia. Star is the grandson of Inwood Glow, leased to Miss Williams of Australia, and he is now back home in England. Star also boasts of his ancestors - Ch. Clonlost Yo-Yo, and Ch. Inwood Shadow.

2. Bluemead Mayflower (S. P. fem) whose dam was Bluemead Mandarin, a consistent 1st prize winner in 1953 Australian shows. She presented Mrs. Miller with two males and a female this spring sired by Inwood Glow.

3. Pitapat Pitti-Sing (S. P. fem) a Doneraile cat bred by Mrs. K. R. Williams.

4. Ryecroft Royalist (S. P. male, bred by Mrs. Nicholas, Ryecroft Gate, England - a grandson of Oriental's Silky Boy.

5. Hillcross London Pride (S. P. fem) bred by Mrs. Elsie Towle. Royalist and London Pride are now with Mr. Mervill Stevens in Seattle.

Mrs. Powell states she has seen these cats and offspring and they are beautiful, with the long smooth wedge heads, and are color bred seal points. Mrs. Miller also imported a British Blue (S. H. female from England) Broughton Amanda, bred by Mrs. I. P. Hughes, and if there is a British Blue S. H. male in this country Mrs. Miller would appreciate hearing from its owner.

I have a card from Mrs. Helen Nelson stating she has moved her Cheralon Cattery from Del Paso Heights, California to Big Spring, Texas. She had double deck pens built into the back of a pickup truck and a canopy cover over the cats, and stated in all the heat the cats stood the trip better than she did. She took Eleven cats and kits, her Dixiland, Cresthaven and Spoon River bloodlines.

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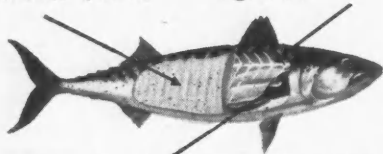
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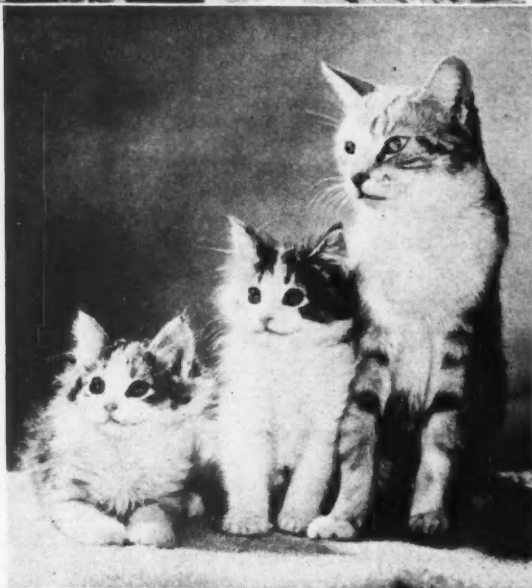


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